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ABSTRACT

Data are summarized from 107 laboratory tests on reinforced concrete columns with rectangular cross sections. In these tests the axial load on the column was held nearly constant while cyclic lateral loads were applied to cause column deformations in the inelastic range. The data in this report were obtained from test programs in the United States, Canada, New Zealand, and Japan. Synopses of each test program are presented and the geometric and material properties of each column test specimen are summarized. Plots of lateral load vs. lateral deflection are also shown for each specimen. The lateral load-lateral deflection histories for all specimens are presented in digital format on a computer disk. Much of this data has only been available in analog format, and is presented for the first time in digital format in this report.

KEYWORDS: building technology; cyclic lateral loads; digital data base; earthquake engineering; experiments; inelastic behavior; rectangular reinforcement; reinforced concrete columns

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Chapter 1: Introduction

The purpose of this document is to summarize and make available for general use a substantial body of experimental data from cyclic lateral load tests on rectangular reinforced concrete columns. These data were collected, digitized and summarized as part of a larger study of the seismic performance of bridge piers¹, conducted in the Building and Fire Research Laboratory of the National Institute of Standards and Technology. It is hoped that this data will be useful to other researchers, especially for the calibration of damage models.

Lateral force-lateral deflection data were obtained from 107 column tests conducted by researchers in the United States, Canada, New Zealand and Japan. While the data set is not exhaustive, it represents a significant portion of the available test data.

In some cases the authors were able to obtain digital lateral force-lateral deflection data directly from the researchers who performed the column tests. In the majority of cases, however, precision photo-enlargements of lateral force-lateral deflection plots were prepared from report figures. These enlargements were then digitized manually using a digitizing tablet. Thus, the accuracy of the data was limited by the accuracy of the published figures.

Not every test from every test series was reported in this summary. For some specimens analog plots were either not available or were not clear enough to be used for digitization. Only data from specimens with a constant axial compressive load (not a fluctuating, tensile, or zero axial load) were digitized. Furthermore, only data from specimens in which the lateral load was applied along one of the principal axes of the cross section (not along the diagonal of the cross section or along a bi-direction loading path) were digitized.

The data are reported in Chapters 2 through 4 of this report. In Chapter 2 a summary of each test program is given. This includes bibliographic citations, a brief description of the test program, loading conditions, scale, material properties, geometry, and so on. The names of digital files containing lateral force-lateral deflection data are also given. In Chapter 3 plots of lateral force vs. lateral deflection are presented for all 107 specimens. Finally, in Chapter 4, the digital test data are presented by means of computer disks.

¹Stone, William C.; and Taylor, Andrew W., "Seismic Performance of Circular Bridge Columns Designed in Accordance With AASHTO/CALTRANS Standards," NIST Building Science Series 170, Structures Division, Building and Fire Research Laboratory, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, Maryland, 20899, February 1993.

CHAPTER 1

The purpose of this document is to provide a comprehensive overview of the current state of the industry. It is intended for use by all stakeholders involved in the project. The document is organized into several sections, each covering a different aspect of the project. The first section discusses the background and objectives of the project. The second section describes the methodology used in the study. The third section presents the results of the study, and the fourth section discusses the conclusions and recommendations.

The methodology used in this study is based on a combination of qualitative and quantitative methods. The qualitative methods include interviews, focus groups, and content analysis. The quantitative methods include surveys and statistical analysis. The results of the study show that there is a significant correlation between the variables studied. The conclusions and recommendations are based on the findings of the study and are intended to provide guidance for future research and practice.

Chapter 2: Description of Cyclic Lateral Load Tests on Rectangular Reinforced Concrete Columns

Three types of specimens were tested in the experimental programs described in this report: simple cantilever specimens (Figure 1); double-ended specimens (Figure 2); and double curvature specimens (Figure 3). To present the data from these three types of specimens in a uniform format, all data is reported in terms of an equivalent simple cantilever column. Thus, for cantilever specimens (Figure 1) the forces and deflections reported are simply the same as those reported by the original researchers. For double ended specimens (Figure 2) the lateral forces reported are one-half the forces applied to the central stub of the specimen, and the lateral deflections reported are the lateral deflections of the central stub relative to the two fixed end points. For double curvature specimens (Figure 3) the lateral forces reported are those applied to each end beam of the specimen, and the lateral deflections reported are one-half the relative lateral displacements of the two end beams. The reported length "L" of each specimen is shown in Figures 1 to 3.

All data shown in the tables of this chapter were those reported by the researchers performing the original study, unless noted by an asterisk. Data noted by an asterisk were derived from data supplied in the original report. Caution should be exercised in interpreting the values of "transverse reinforcement ratio." Some researchers computed the transverse reinforcement ratio as a volumetric ratio, while others computed it in the same manner as the shear reinforcement ratio is computed for a flexural member. Therefore, to insure a uniform interpretation of the term "transverse reinforcement ratio", when using the data given in this report the ratio should be recalculated for the specific purpose at hand, based on the geometric data presented in the sketch of each cross section.

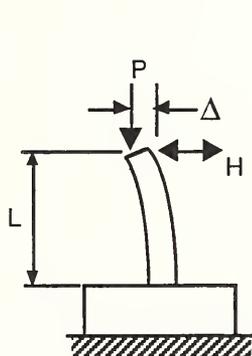


Figure 1: Schematic of Cantilever Specimen

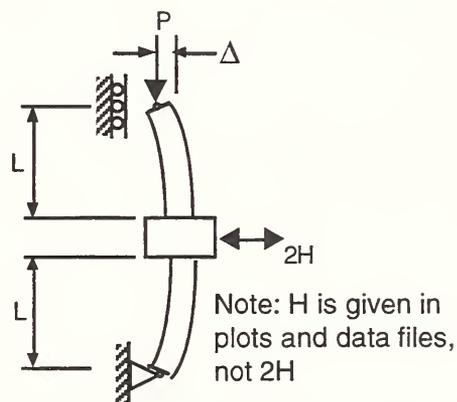


Figure 2: Schematic of Double Ended Specimen

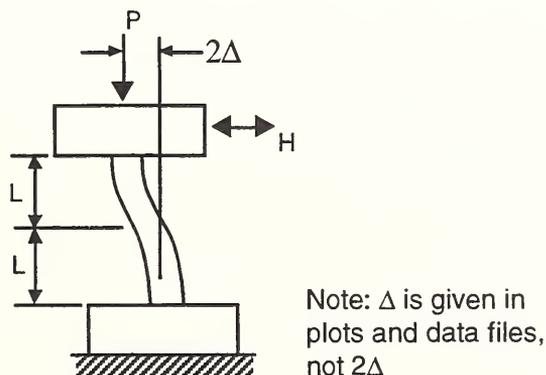
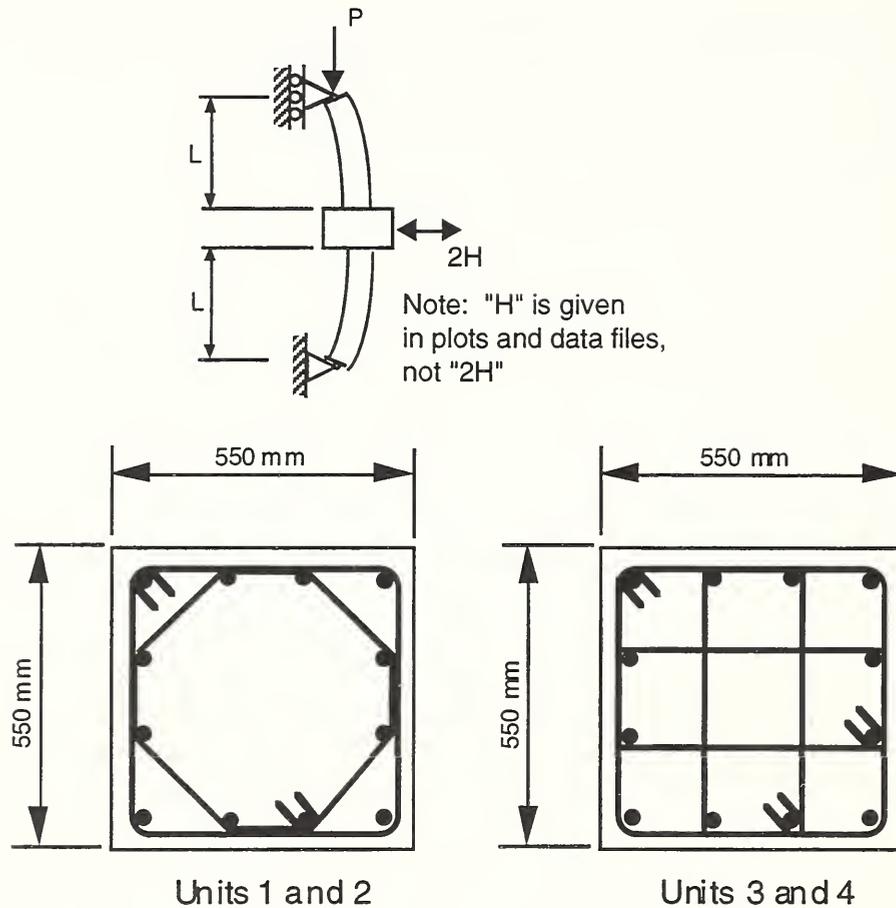


Figure 3: Schematic of Double Curvature Specimen

A: Tests Conducted in New Zealand

1979 Gill



Gill, Wayne Douglas; Park, R.; and Priestley, M.J.N., "Ductility of Rectangular Reinforced Concrete Columns With Axial Load," Report 79-1, Department of Civil Engineering, University of Canterbury, Christchurch, New Zealand, February 1979, 136 pages.

Also reported in Park, R., Priestley, M.J.N., and Gill, W.D., "Ductility of Square-Confined Concrete Columns," *Journal of the Structural Division*, ASCE, Vol. 108, No. ST4, April 1982, pp. 929-950.

Master of Engineering Report by Gill. Four full-size column sections were subjected to a static cyclic lateral load sequence over a range of axial compressive loads. Two different tie arrangements, both conforming to DZ3101 requirements, were used. These tests were conducted using a double-ended specimen, a self-reacting load frame with a hydraulic ram to apply cyclic lateral load, and a universal testing machine to apply constant axial load.

Unit No.	In Plastic Hinge Region			Outside Plastic Hinge Region		
	No. of Hoop Sets	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm	No. of Hoop Sets	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
1	8	10	80	5	10	135
2	8	12	75	3	12	210
3	8	10	75	6	10	105
4	10	12	72	3	12	200

Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	Axial Load Axial Capacity	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
1	23.1	1815	0.260	0.0179	375	0.015	297
2	41.4	2680	0.214	0.0179	375	0.023	316
3	21.4	2719	0.420	0.0179	375	0.020	297
4	23.5	4265	0.600	0.0179	375	0.035	294

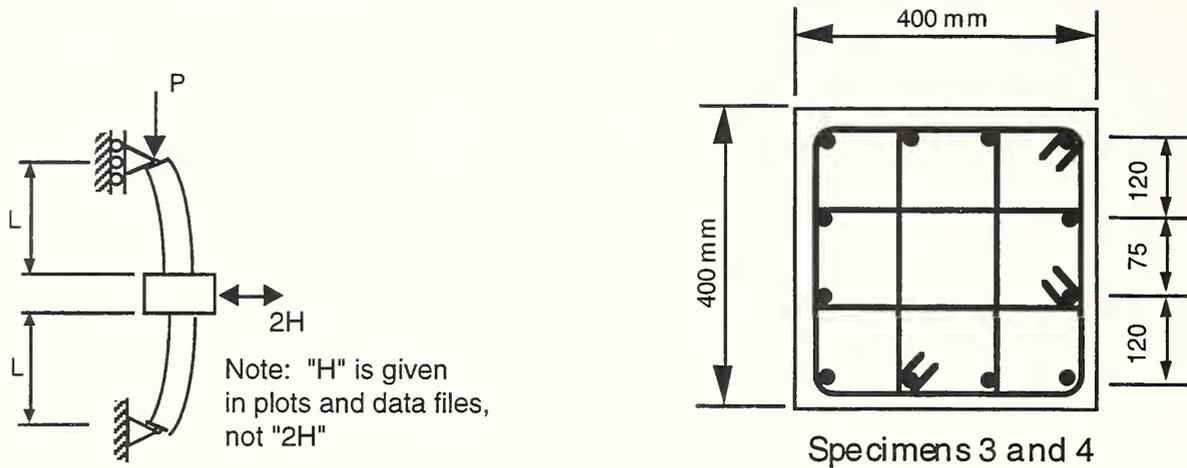
Longitudinal steel - Grade 380 deformed bars, twelve 24 mm dia. with 50 mm cover.

Hoop steel - Grade 275 plain round bars.

Half length of specimen, $L = 1.2$ m

Data Files: GILL79S1.WK1
 GILL79S2.WK1
 GILL79S3.WK1
 GILL79S4.WK1

1981 Ang, Priestley and Park



Ang Beng Ghee; Priestley, M.J.N.; and Park, R., "Ductility of Reinforced Concrete Bridge Piers Under Seismic Loading," Report 81-3, Department of Civil Engineering, University of Canterbury, Christchurch, New Zealand, February 1981, 109 pages.

Ang tested four columns designed according to the Second Draft (1980) of the Concrete Design Code DZ3101 for different load levels. Only two involved square (rectangular) columns. These tests were conducted using a double-ended specimen, a self-reacting load frame with a hydraulic ram to apply cyclic lateral load, and a universal testing machine to apply constant axial load.

Unit No.	In Plastic Hinge Region			Outside Plastic Hinge Region		
	No. of Hoop Sets	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm	No. of Hoop Sets	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
3	5	12	100	6	10	180
4	5	10	90	6	10	180

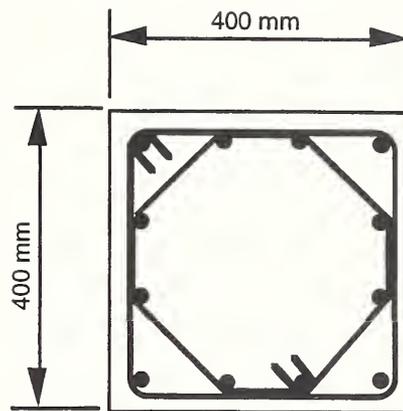
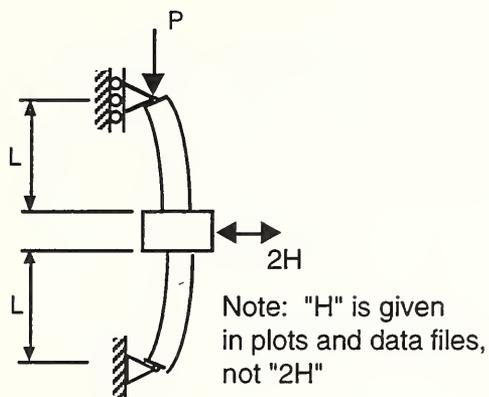
Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	Axial Load Axial Capacity	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
3	23.6	1435	0.38	0.0151	427	0.02832	320
4	25.0	840	0.21	0.0151	427	0.02218	280

Longitudinal steel - Grade 380 deformed bars, twelve 16 mm dia. with 34.5 mm cover.

Hoop steel - Grade 275 plain round bars.

Half length of specimen, $L = 1.6$ m

Data Files: ANG81U3.WK1
ANG81U4.WK1



Units 1, 2, 3 and 4

Soesianawati, M.T.; Park, R.; and Priestley, M.J.N., "Limited Ductility Design of Reinforced Concrete Columns," Report 86-10, Department of Civil Engineering, University of Canterbury, Christchurch, New Zealand, March 1986, 208 pages.

Four columns of square cross-section were tested; the quantity of transverse confining steel used ranged from 17 to 46 percent of the NZS 3101:1982 recommended quantity for ductile detailing. These tests were conducted using a double-ended specimen, a self-reacting load frame with a hydraulic ram to apply cyclic lateral load, and a universal testing machine to apply constant axial load.

Unit No.	In Plastic Hinge Region			Outside Plastic Hinge Region		
	No. of Hoop Sets	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm	No. of Hoop Sets	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
1	5	7	85	6	7	170
2	8	8	78	5	8	156
3	7	7	91	5	7	182
4	7	6	94	5	6	186

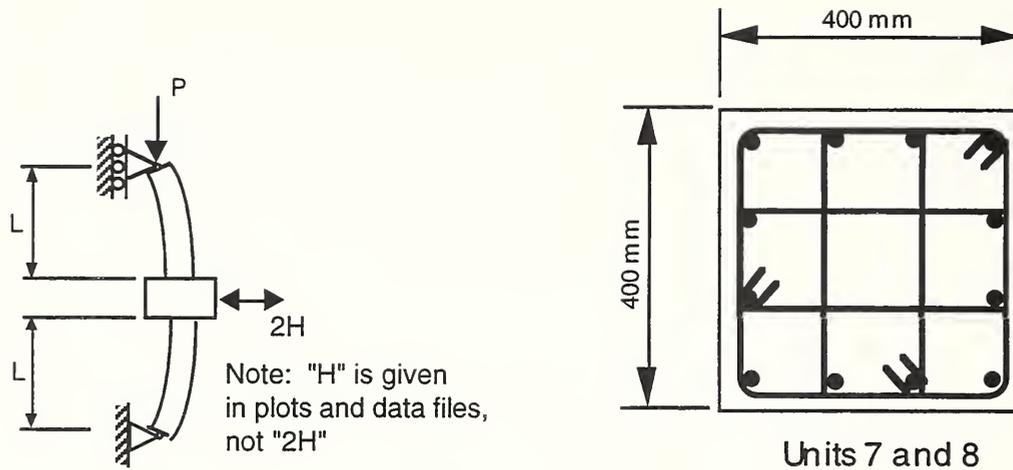
Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	Axial Load / Axial Capacity	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
1	46.5	744	0.1	0.0151	446	0.0086	364
2	44.0	2112	0.3	0.0151	446	0.0122	360
3	44.0	2112	0.3	0.0151	446	0.0080	364
4	40.0	1920	0.3	0.0151	446	0.0057	255

Longitudinal steel - Grade 380 deformed bars, twelve 16 mm dia. bars

Hoop steel - Grade 275 plain round bars. Clear cover to transverse bars = 13 mm.

Half length of specimen, $L = 1.6$ m

Data Files: SOES86U1.WK1
 SOES86U2.WK1
 SOES86U3.WK1
 SOES86U4.WK1



Zahn, F.A.; Park, R.; and Priestley, M.J.N., "Design of Reinforced Concrete Bridge Columns for Strength and Ductility," Report 86-7, Department of Civil Engineering, University of Canterbury, Christchurch, New Zealand, March 1986, 330 pages.

Originally written as a PhD thesis by Zahn. Sixteen specimens were tested with various shapes and load orientation, but only Units 7 and 8 were square with loading along a principal axis of the cross-section. These tests were conducted using a double-ended specimen, a self-reacting load frame with a hydraulic ram to apply cyclic lateral load, and a universal testing machine to apply constant axial load.

Unit No.	In Plastic Hinge Region		
	No. of Hoop Sets	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
7	4	10	117
8	7	10	92

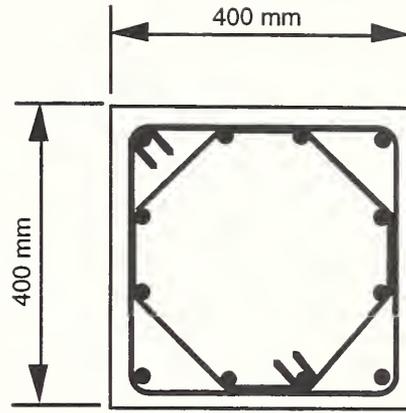
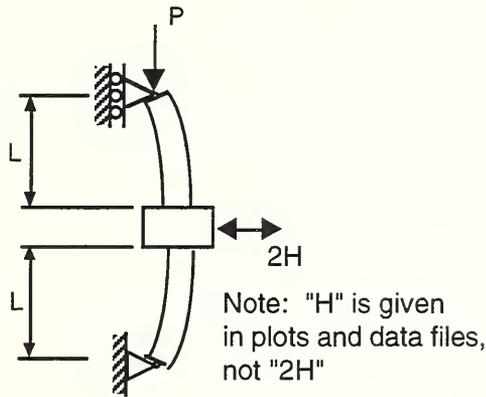
Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	Axial Load Axial Capacity	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
7	28.3	1010	0.23	0.0151	440	0.0156	466
8	40.1	2502	0.39	0.0151	440	0.0199	466

Longitudinal steel - Grade 380 deformed bars, twelve 16 mm dia. bars
 Hoop steel - Grade 380 plain round bars. Clear cover to transverse bars = 13 mm.

Half length of specimen, $L = 1.6$ m

Data Files: ZAHN86U7.WK1
 ZAHN86U8.WK1

1989 Watson and Park



Units 1, 2, 3 and 4

Watson, Soesianawati; and Park, R., "Design of Reinforced Concrete Frames of Limited Ductility," Report 89-4, Department of Civil Engineering, University of Canterbury, Christchurch, New Zealand, January 1989, 232 pages.

PhD thesis by Watson (*née* Soesianawati). Seven specimens were tested, but only Units 5 through 9 were rectangular. These tests were conducted using a double-ended specimen, a self-reacting load frame with a hydraulic ram to apply cyclic lateral load, and a universal testing machine to apply constant axial load.

Unit No.	In Plastic Hinge Region		
	No. of Hoop Sets	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
5	8	8	81
6	7	6	96
7	7	12	96
8	8	8	77
9	12	12	52

Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	Axial Load / Axial Capacity	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ	f_y MPa	ρ^*	f_y MPa
5	41	3280	0.5	0.0151	474	0.0066	372
6	40	3200	0.5	0.0151	474	0.0032	388
7	42	4704	0.7	0.0151	474	0.0126	308
8	39	4368	0.7	0.0151	474	0.0070	372
9	40	4480	0.7	0.0151	474	0.0233	308

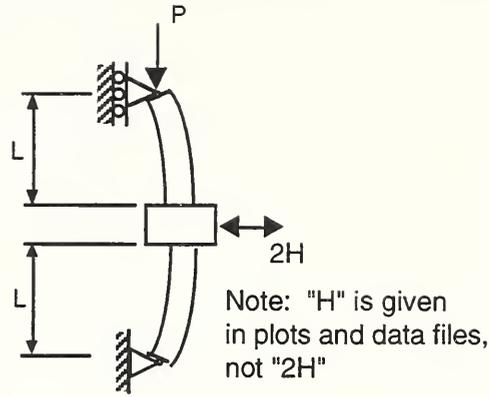
Longitudinal steel - Grade 380 deformed bars, twelve 16 mm dia. bars

Hoop steel - Grade 275 plain round bars. Clear cover to transverse bars = 13 mm.

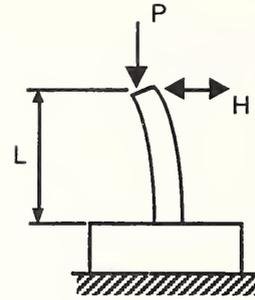
*Calculated from data given in report

Half length of specimen, $L = 1.6$ m

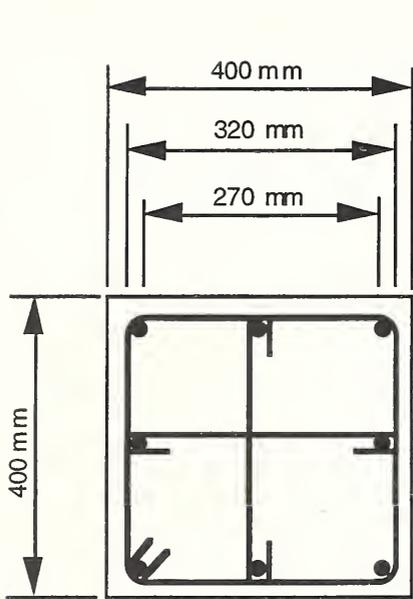
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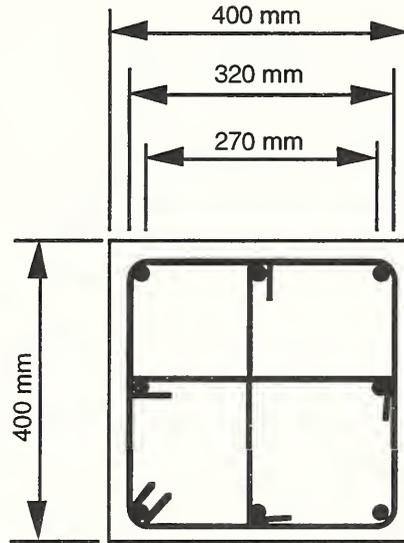
Specimens 1 to 4



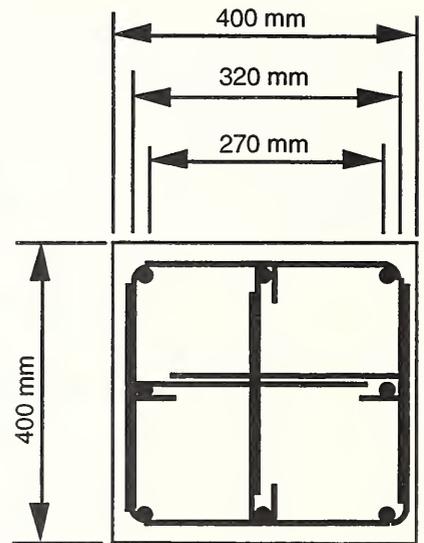
Specimens 5 to 8



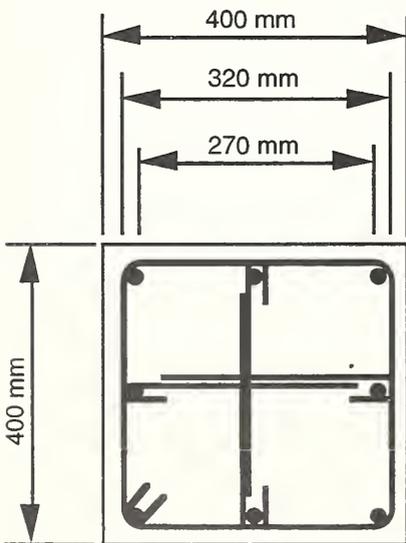
Specimen 1



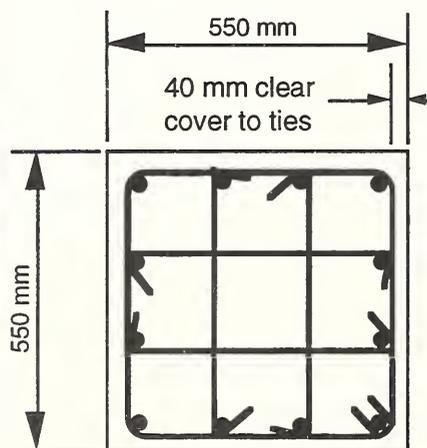
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(Hooks alternate side to side along column)



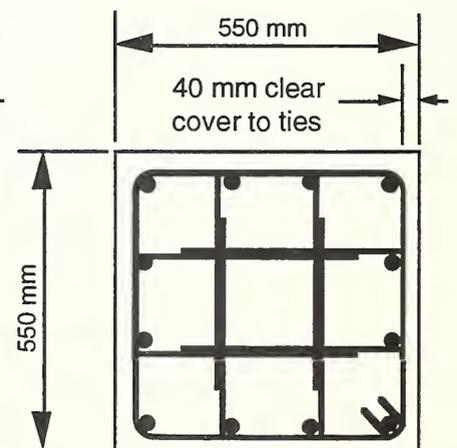
Specimen 3
(Load direction \longleftrightarrow)



Specimen 4
(Load direction \longleftrightarrow)



Specimens 5 and 7



Specimens 6 and 8

Tanaka, H.; and Park, R., "Effect of Lateral Confining Reinforcement on the Ductile Behaviour of Reinforced Concrete Columns," Report 90-2, Department of Civil Engineering, University of Canterbury, June 1990, 458 pages.

PhD thesis by Tanaka. Eight columns with square cross sections were tested. (One specimen with a rectangular cross section was also tested, as described in the next section). Specimens one through four were conducted using a double-ended specimen, a self-reacting load frame with a hydraulic ram to apply cyclic lateral load, and a universal testing machine to apply constant axial load. Specimens five through eight incorporated a true cantilever column setup.

Unit No.	In Plastic Hinge Region		
	No. of Hoop Sets	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
1	6	12	80
2	6	12	80
3	6	12	80
4	6	12	80
5	6	12	110
6	6	12	110
7	7	12	90
8	7	12	90

Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN*	Axial Load Axial Capacity	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
1	25.6	819	0.2	0.0157	474	0.0255	333
2	25.6	819	0.2	0.0157	474	0.0255	333
3	25.6	819	0.2	0.0157	474	0.0255	333
4	25.6	819	0.2	0.0157	474	0.0255	333
5	32.0	968	0.1	0.0125	511	0.0170	325
6	32.0	968	0.1	0.0125	511	0.0170	325
7	32.1	2913	0.3	0.0125	511	0.0208	325
8	32.1	2913	0.3	0.0125	511	0.0208	325

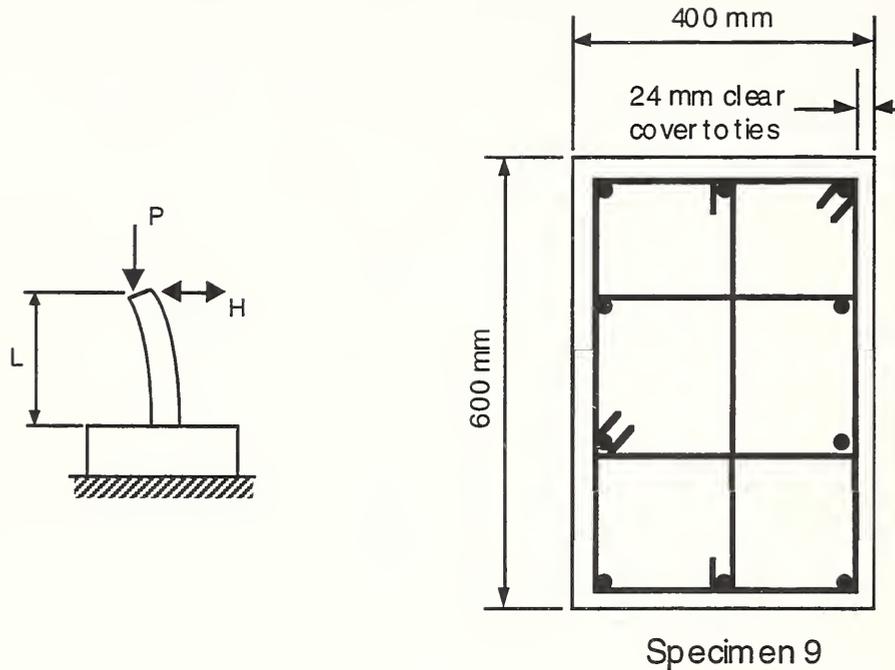
Longitudinal steel - Grade 380 deformed bars, 20 mm dia. bars

Hoop steel - Grade 275 deformed bars. Clear cover to transverse bars = 40 mm.

*Calculated from data given in report

Half length of specimens 1 to 4, L = 1.6 m. Length of specimens 5 to 8, L = 1.65 m

Data Files: TANA90U1.WK1
TANA90U2.WK1
TANA90U3.WK1
TANA90U4.WK1
TANA90U5.WK1
TANA90U6.WK1
TANA90U7.WK1
TANA90U8.WK1



Park, R.; and Paulay, T., "Use of Interlocking Spirals for Transverse Reinforcement in Bridge Columns," *Strength and Ductility of Concrete Substructures of Bridges*, RRU (Road Research Unit) Bulletin 84, Vol. 1, 1990, pp 77-92.

See also, Tanaka, H.; and Park, R., "Effect of Lateral Confining Reinforcement on the Ductile Behaviour of Reinforced Concrete Columns," Report 90-2, Department of Civil Engineering, University of Canterbury, June 1990, 458 pages, described in the previous section.

One rectangular column with overlapping hoops was tested. The configuration of the specimen was a cantilever, as illustrated above.

Unit No.	In Plastic Hinge Region		
	No. of Hoop Sets	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
9	9	12	80

Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN*	Axial Load / Axial Capacity	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
9	26.9	646	0.1	0.0188	432	0.0217	305

Longitudinal steel - Grade 380 deformed bars, 24 mm dia. bars

Hoop steel - Grade 275 plain bars. Clear cover to transverse bars = 24 mm.

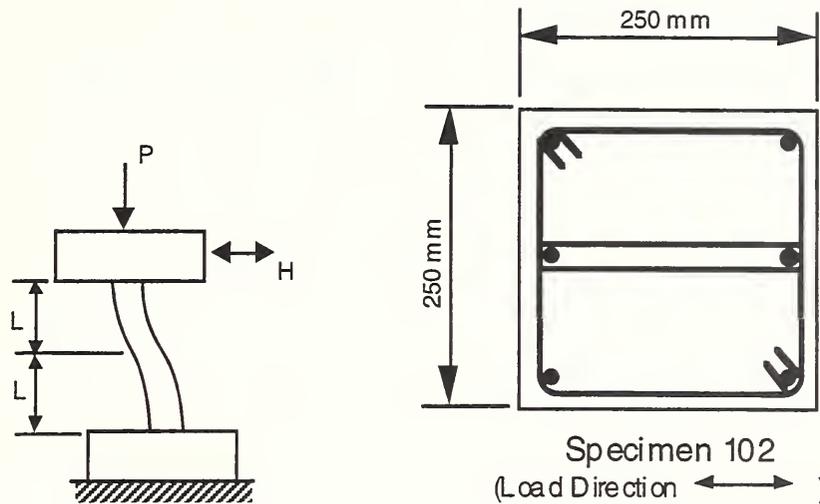
*Calculated from data given in report

Length of specimen, $L = 1.784$ m

Data File: TANA90U9.WK1

B. Tests Conducted in Japan

1982 Arakawa, Arai, Egashira, and Fujita



Arakawa, Takashi; Arai, Yasuyuki; Egashira, Keiichi; and Fujita, Yutaka, "Effects of the Rate of Cyclic Loading on the Load-Carrying Capacity and Inelastic Behavior of Reinforced Concrete Columns," *Transactions of the Japan Concrete Institute*, Vol. 4, 1982, pp 485-492.

Ten double-curvature specimens were tested under constant axial load and cyclic lateral load. The main variable was the rate of lateral loading. A digitizable analog plot was available from the authors for only one of the tests, specimen 102. This specimen was tested at a cyclic lateral load rate of 0.5 Hz.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
102	5.5	32

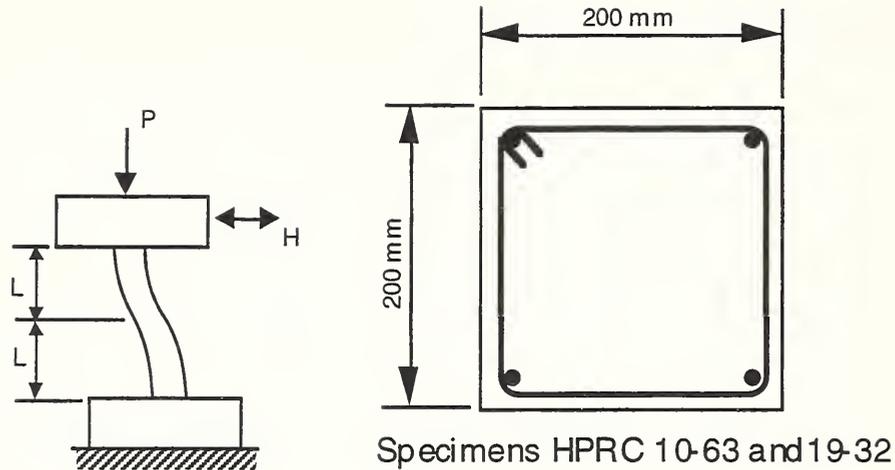
Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN*	Axial Load / Axial Capacity	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
102	20.6	429	0.33	0.0068	392.8	0.0118	323

Longitudinal steel - six deformed bars, 10 mm dia.

*Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimen, $L = 0.375$ m

Data Files: AR82102.WK1



Nagasaka, Tomoya, "Effectiveness of Steel Fiber as Web Reinforcement in Reinforced Concrete Columns," *Transactions of the Japan Concrete Institute*, Vol. 4, 1982, pp. 493-500.

Twenty-two double-curvature specimens were tested under constant axial load and cyclic lateral load. The main variable was the use of conventional hoop reinforcement vs. the use of fiber reinforcement. Digitizable analog plots were available from the paper for only two of the tests that had conventional hoop reinforcement and no fiber reinforcement: specimen HPRC 10-63 and HPRC 19-32.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
HPRC 10-63	6	35
HPRC 19-32	6	20

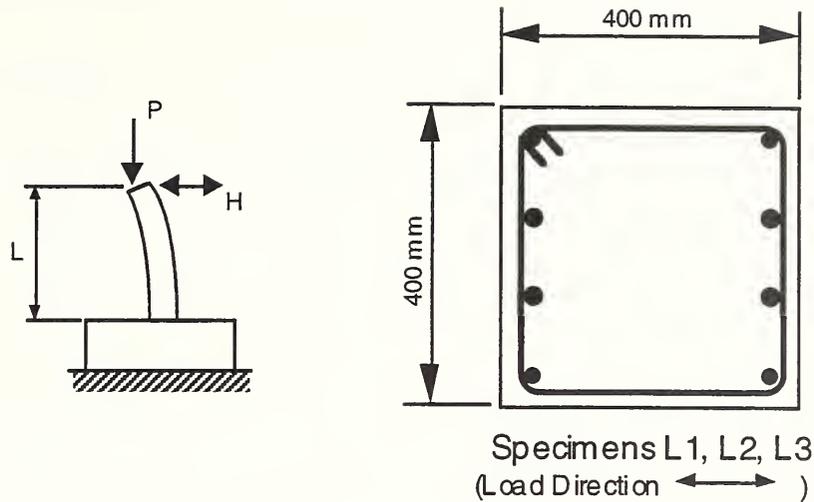
Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	Axial Load / Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
HPRC 10-63	21.6	147	0.17	0.0133	371	0.0081	344
HPRC 19-32	21.0	294	0.34	0.0133	371	0.0139	344

Longitudinal steel - four deformed bars, 13 mm dia.

*Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimen, $L = 0.30$ m

Data Files: NAG1063.WK1
 NAG1932.WK1



Ohno, Tomonori; and Nishioka, Takashi, "An Experimental Study on Energy Absorption Capacity of Columns in Reinforced Concrete Structures," *Proceedings of the JSCE, Structural Engineering/Earthquake Engineering*, Vol. 1, No 2., October 1984, pp. 137-147.

Five cantilevered columns were tested under constant axial load and cyclic lateral load. The variables studied were the lateral load pattern and the level of axial load. Digitizable analog plots were available for only three of the tests: specimens L1, L2 and L3. The lateral load pattern for specimen L1 was very severe, and only two complete cycles were applied.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
L1	9	100
L2	9	100
L3	9	100

Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN*	Axial Load Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ^*	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
L1	24.8	157	0.04	0.0142	362	0.0032	325
L2	24.8	157	0.04	0.0142	362	0.0032	325
L3	24.8	157	0.04	0.0142	362	0.0032	325

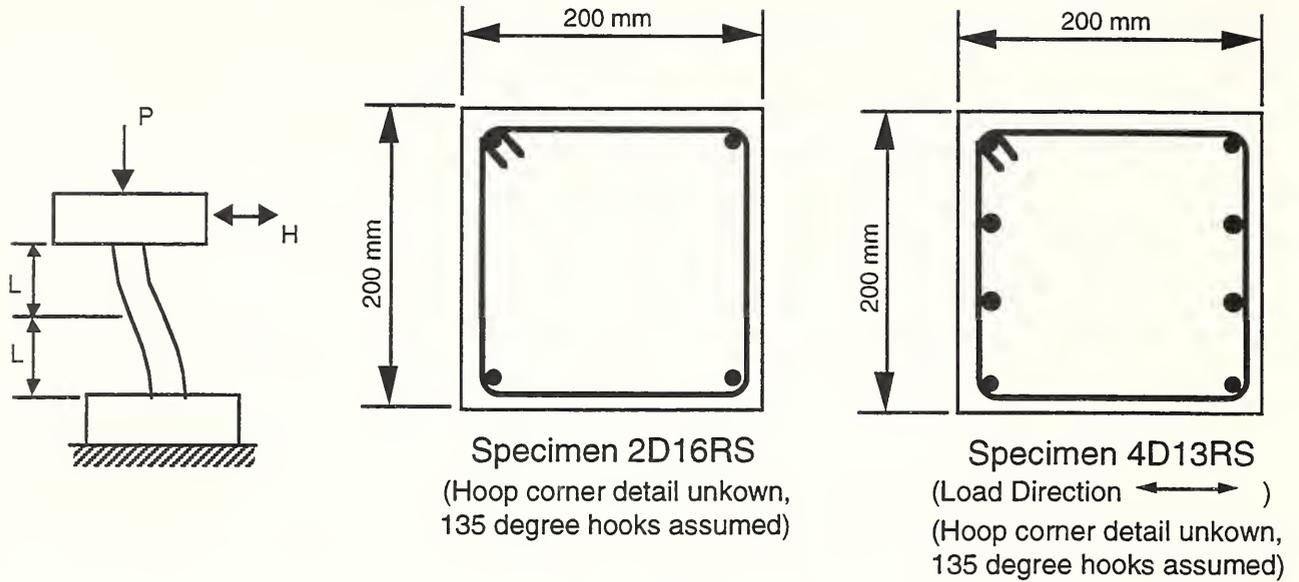
Longitudinal steel - eight deformed bars, 19 mm dia.

*Calculated from data given in report

Height of specimen, $L = 1.6$ m

Data Files: OHNO84L1.WK1
 OHNO84L2.WK1
 OHNO84L3.WK1

1985 Ohue, Morimoto, Fujii and Morita



Ohue, Minoru; Morimoto, Hisao, Fujii, Shigeru; and Morita, Shiro, "The Behavior of R.C. Short Columns Failing in Splitting Bond-Shear Under Dynamic Lateral Loading," *Transactions of the Japan Concrete Institute*, Vol. 7, 1985, pp. 293-300.

Eleven double curvature columns were tested under constant axial load and cyclic lateral load. The main variable studied was the rate of lateral loading. Digitizable analog plots were available for only two of the tests in which quasi-static lateral load was applied: specimens 2D16RS and 4D13RS.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
2D16RS	6	50
4D13RS	6	50

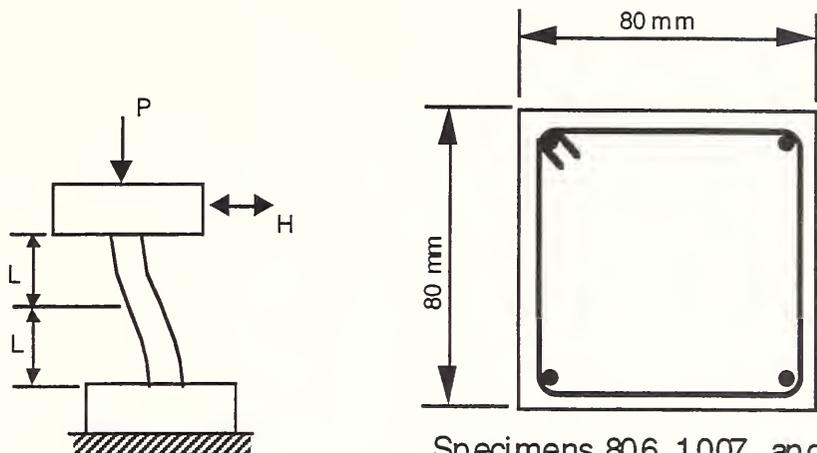
Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	Axial Load Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ^*	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
2D16RS	32.0	183	0.14	0.0201	369	0.0057	316
4D13RS	29.9	183	0.15	0.0265	370	0.0057	316

Longitudinal steel - deformed bars, 16 mm dia for 2D16RS and 13 mm dia. for 4D13RS
Lateral reinforcement is plain bars (not deformed)

*Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimen, $L = 0.40$ m

Data Files: OH2D16RS.WK1
 OH4D13RS.WK1



Specimens 806, 1007, and 1309
(Hoop corner detail unknown,
135 degree hooks assumed)

Zhou, Xiaozhen; Higashi, Yoichi; Jiang, Weishan; and Shimizu, Yasushi, "Behavior of Reinforced Concrete Column Under High Axial Load," *Transactions of the Japan Concrete Institute*, Vol. 7, 1985, pp. 385-392.

Seventeen one-fifth scale, double curvature column specimens were tested. This study focuses on short columns with high axial loads. Only three digitizable analog plots were available from the paper: specimens 806, 1007, and 1309

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
806	4	80
1007	4	80
1309	4	80

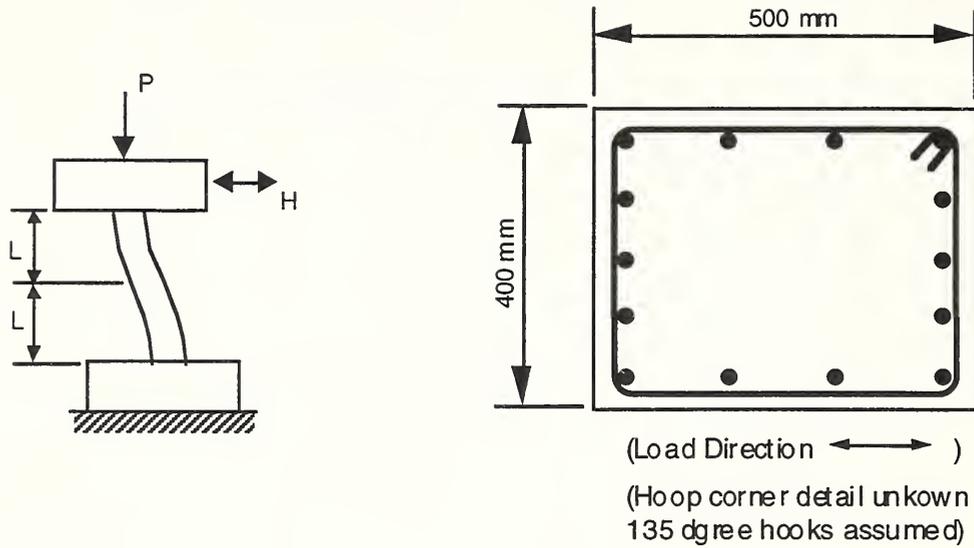
Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN*	Axial Load Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ^*	f_y MPa	ρ^*	f_y MPa
806	32.3	124	0.6	0.0177	336	0.0052	341
1007	34.0	152	0.7	0.0177	336	0.0052	341
1309	32.8	189	0.9	0.0177	336	0.0052	341

Longitudinal steel - four deformed bars, 6 mm dia
Lateral reinforcement is plain bars (not deformed)

*Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimen, $L = 0.08$ m

Data Files: ZHO806.WK1
 ZHO1007.WK1
 ZHO1309.WK1



Imai, Hiroshi; and Yamamoto, Yoshie, "A Study on Causes of Earthquake Damage of Izumi High School Due to Miyagi-Ken-Oki Earthquake in 1978," *Transactions of the Japan Concrete Institute*, Vol. 8, 1986, pp. 405-418.

One full-size double curvature specimen was tested. The specimen simulated columns in a high school building damaged during the 1978 Miyagi-ken-oki earthquake

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
1	9	100

Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN*	Axial Load Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ^*	f_y MPa	ρ^{**}	f_y MPa
1	27.1	392	0.072	0.0209	318	0.0036	336

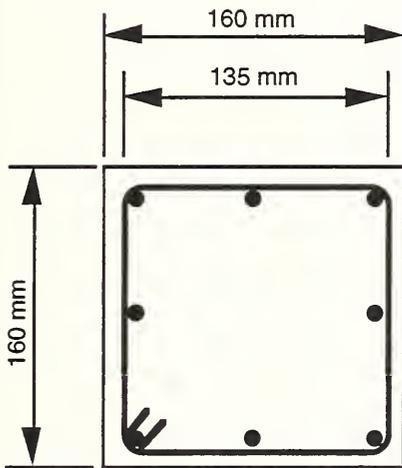
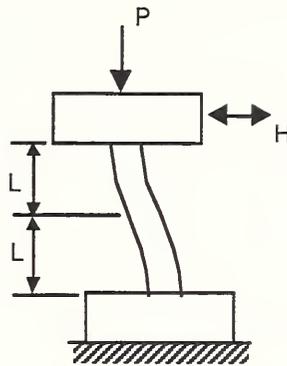
Longitudinal steel - 14 deformed bars, 22 mm dia

*Calculated from data given in report

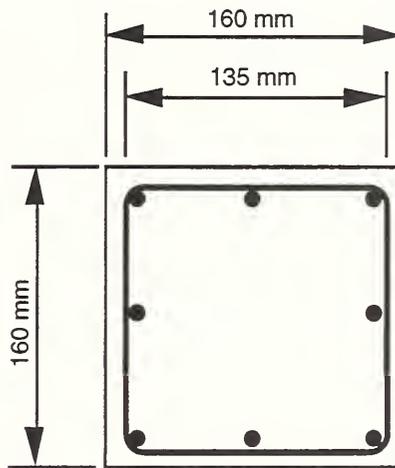
**Approximate value estimated from data given in report

Half height of specimen, $L = 0.825$ m

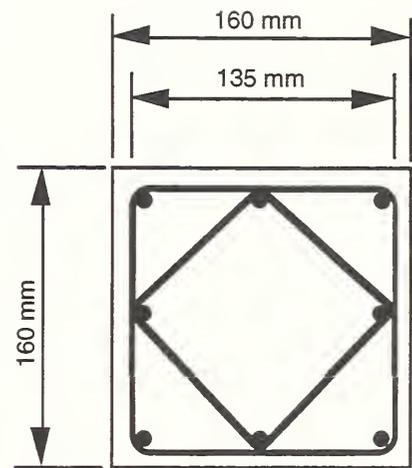
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Specimens
104-08, 204-08
and 302-07



Spiral hoops
Specimens
114-08, 214-08
and 312-07



Double spiral hoops
Specimens
124-08, 223-09 and
322-07

Zhou, Xiaoshen; Satoh, Toshio; Jiang, Weishan; Ono, Arata; and Shimizu, Yasushi, "Behavior of Reinforced Concrete Short Column Under High Axial Load," *Transactions of the Japan Concrete Institute*, Vol. 9, 1987, pp. 541-548.

Thirty-five double curvature column specimens, at approximately 2/5 scale, were tested under constant axial load and cyclic lateral load. The main objective of the test series was to investigate the seismic performance of columns under high compressive stress. Digitizable analog plots from only nine specimens were available in the paper.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
104-08	5	40
114-08	5	40
124-08	5	40
204-08	5	40
214-08	5	40
223-09	5	40
302-07	5	40
312-07	5	40
322-07	5	40

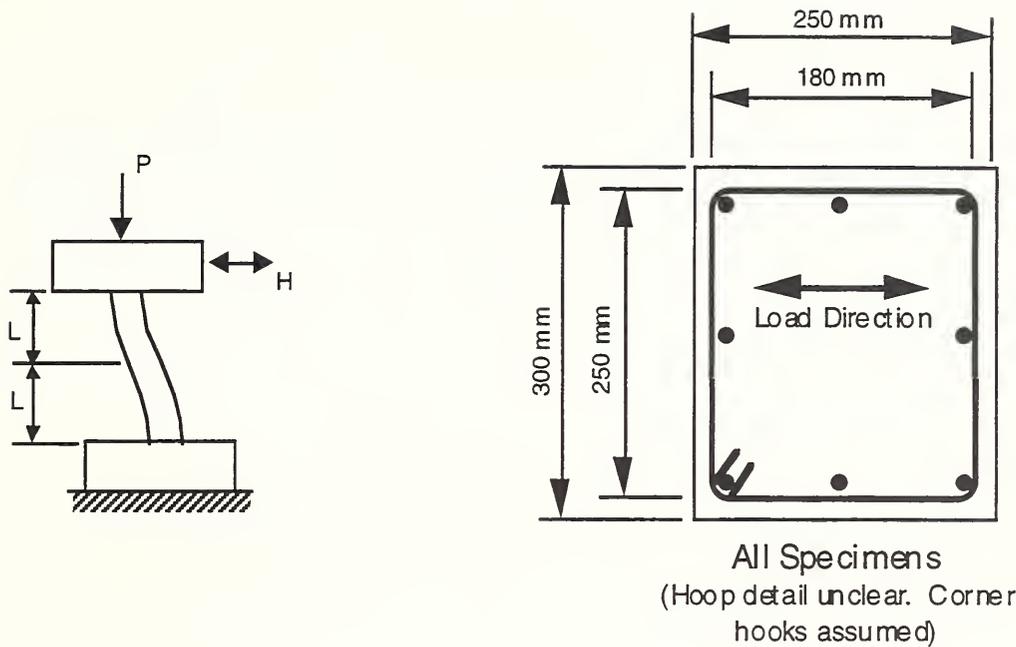
Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN*	Axial Load Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ^*	f_y MPa	ρ^*	f_y MPa
104-08	19.8	406	0.8	2.45	341	0.0073	559
114-08	19.8	406	0.8	2.45	341	0.0073	559
124-08	19.8	406	0.8	2.45	341	0.0175	559
204-08	21.1	432	0.8	2.45	341	0.0073	559
214-08	21.1	432	0.8	2.45	341	0.0073	559
223-09	21.1	486	0.9	2.45	341	0.0175	559
302-07	28.8	517	0.7	2.45	341	0.0073	559
312-07	28.8	517	0.7	2.45	341	0.0073	559
322-07	28.8	517	0.7	2.45	341	0.0175	559

Longitudinal steel - eight bars, 10 mm dia

*Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimens: 104-08, 114-08 and 124-08, L = 0.16 m
204-08, 214-08 and 223-09, L = 0.32 m
302-07, 312-07 and 322-07, L = 0.48 m

Data Files: ZHO10408.WK1
ZHO11408.WK1
ZHO12408.WK1
ZHO20408.WK1
ZHO21408.WK1
ZHO22309.WK1
ZHO30207.WK1
ZHO31207.WK1
ZHO32207.WK1



Kanda, Makoto; Shirai, Nobuaki; Adachi, Hiromi; and Sato, Toshio, "Analytical Study on Elasto-Plastic Hysteretic Behaviors of Reinforced Concrete Members," *Transactions of the Japan Concrete Institute*, Vol. 10, 1988, pp. 257-264. (Specimens 85STC-3 and 85PDC-3 only)

Six double curvature specimens were tested. In three of the tests ("STC" series) pseudo-static cyclic loads were applied in the form of a sawtooth wave with gradually increasing amplitude. In the remaining three tests ("PDC" series) a pseudo-dynamic testing procedure was followed, to simulate earthquake loading of the columns. The three specimens in each series had different details for anchorage of the longitudinal bars. The influence of the anchorage detail is not discussed in the paper by Kanda et al. because the paper mainly focuses on finite element modeling methods. Digital files of load-deflection data for all six tests were obtained directly from the researchers who performed the tests.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
85STC-1	6	50
85STC-2	6	50
85STC-3	6	50
85PDC-1	6	50
85PDC-2	6	50
85PDC-3	6	50

Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN*	Axial Load Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ^*	f_y MPa	ρ^*	f_y MPa
85STC-1	27.9	183.9**	0.088	0.0142	374	0.0038	506
85STC-2	27.9	183.9**	0.088	0.0142	374	0.0038	506
85STC-3	27.9	183.9	0.088	0.0142	374	0.0038	506
85PDC-1	24.8	183.9**	0.099	0.0142	338	0.0038	352
85PDC-2	27.9	183.9**	0.088	0.0142	374	0.0038	506
85PDC-3	27.9	183.9	0.088	0.0142	374	0.0038	506

Longitudinal steel - eight deformed bars, 13 mm diameter

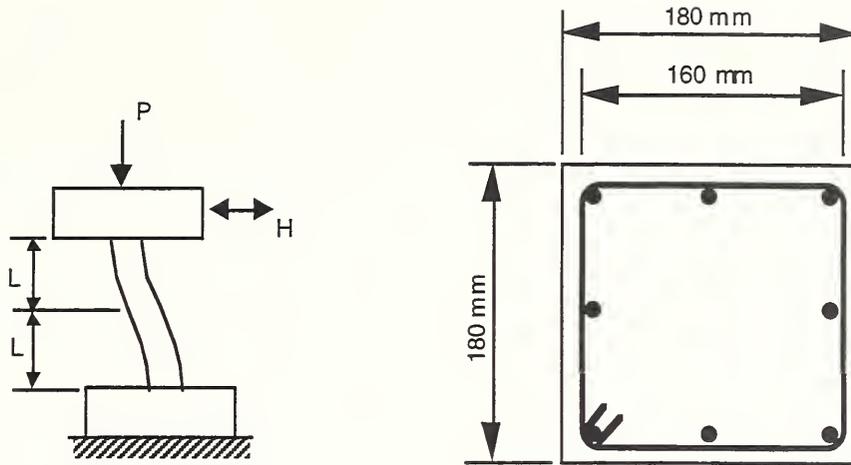
Lateral reinforcement - plain bars, 6 mm dia., except deformed bars 6 mm dia for 85PDC-1

*Calculated from data given in report

**Assumed value, inferred from report

Half height of specimens: L=750 mm

Data Files: KANSTC1.WK1
 KANSTC2.WK1
 KANSTC3.WK1
 KANPDC1.WK1
 KANPDC2.WK1
 KANPDC3.WK1



Specimens OA2 and OA5

Arakawa, Takashi; Arai, Yasuyuki; Mizoguchi, Mitsuo; and Yoshida, Minoru, "Shear Resisting Behavior of Short Reinforced Concrete Columns Under Biaxial Bending-Shear," *Transactions of the Japan Concrete Institute*, Vol. 11, 1989, pp. 317-324.

Fourteen double-curvature specimens were tested. The main variables studied were the direction of loading (0, 22.5, or 45 degrees, with respect to the principal axes of the cross section), and the level of axial compression or tension. Two plots were digitized from tests in which the lateral loads were applied at 0 degrees to the principal axes, and axial compression load was applied.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
OA2	4	64.3
OA5	4	64.3

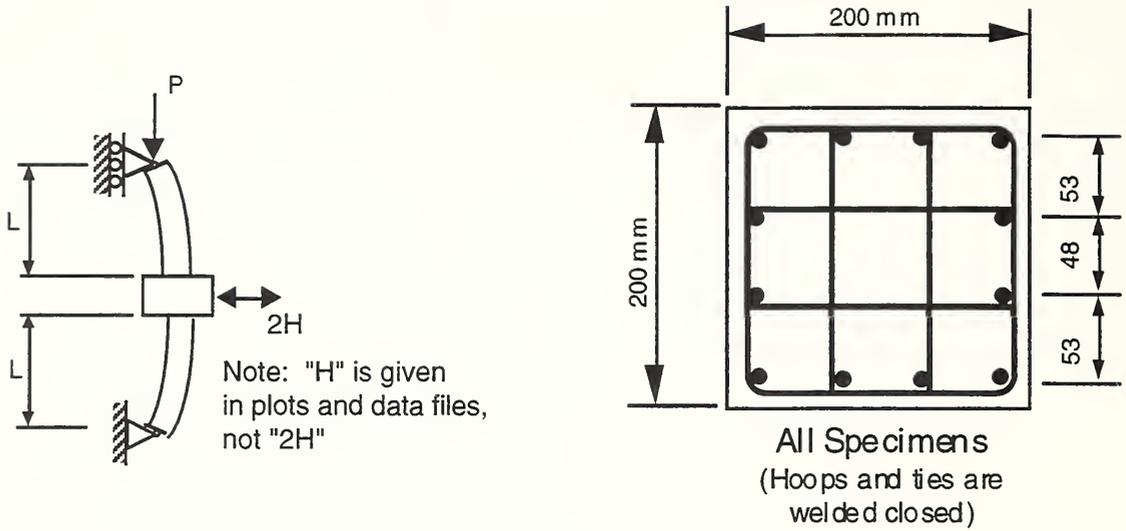
Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN*	Axial Load / Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ^*	f_y MPa	ρ^*	f_y MPa
OA2	31.8	190	0.185	0.0313	340	0.0024	249
OA5	33.0	476	0.445	0.0313	340	0.0024	249

Longitudinal steel - eight deformed bars, 13 mm dia

*Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimens: $L=225$ mm

Data Files: ARA89OA2.WK1
 ARA89OA5.WK1



Muguruma, Hiroshi; Watanabe, Fumio; and Komuro, Tsutomu, "Applicability of High Strength Concrete to Reinforced Concrete Ductile Column," *Transactions of the Japan Concrete Institute*, Vol. 11, 1989, pp. 309-316.

Eight columns were tested. The tests focused on high-strength concrete in combination with high-strength lateral reinforcement. The main variable studied were the compressive strength of the concrete, the axial load level, and the yield strength of the confining reinforcement. Double-ended specimens were tested. A self-reacting load frame with hydraulic ram to apply cyclic lateral load and a universal testing machine to apply constant axial load were used. Digital load-deflection data were obtained directly from the researchers who performed the study.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
AL-1	6	35
AH-1	6	35
AL-2	6	35
AH-2	6	35
BL-1	6	35
BH-1	6	35
BL-2	6	35
BH-2	6	35

Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN*	Axial Load Axial Capacity	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
AL-1	85.7	1371	0.400	0.0381	399.6	0.0161	328.4
AH-1	85.7	1371	0.400	0.0381	399.6	0.0161	792.3
AL-2	85.7	2156	0.629	0.0381	399.6	0.0161	328.4
AH-2	85.7	2156	0.629	0.0381	399.6	0.0161	792.3
BL-1	115.8	1176	0.254	0.0381	399.6	0.0161	328.4
BH-1	115.8	1176	0.254	0.0381	399.6	0.0161	792.3
BL-2	115.8	1959	0.423	0.0381	399.6	0.0161	328.4
BH-2	115.8	1959	0.423	0.0381	399.6	0.0161	792.3

Longitudinal steel - twelve deformed bars, 13 mm diameter

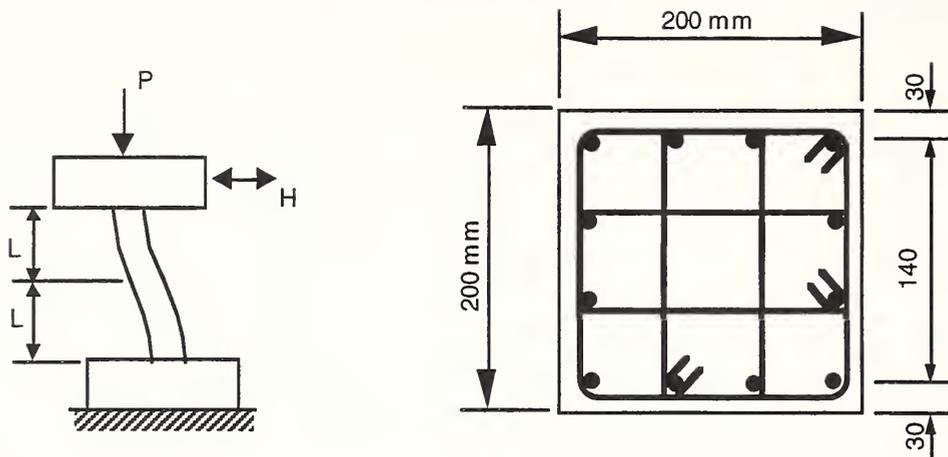
Lateral reinforcement - plain bars, 6 mm in diameter

Clear cover to lateral reinforcement = 9 mm

*Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimens: L=500 mm

Data Files: MUG89AL1.WK1
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MUG89AL2.WK1
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MUG89BL1.WK1
MUG89BH1.WK1
MUG89BL2.WK1
MUG89BH2.WK1



Specimens CA025C and CA060C

Ono, Arata; Shirai, Nobuaki; Adachi, Hiromi; and Sakamaki, Yoshio, "Elasto-Plastic Behavior of Reinforced Concrete Column With Fluctuating Axial Force," *Transactions of the Japan Concrete Institute*, Vol. 11, 1989, pp. 239-246.

Four double curvature specimens were tested. The main variable studied in this series was the axial load level. One specimen was tested with fluctuating axial load; one was tested with axial tension; and two were tested with constant axial compression. Only results from the two tests with constant axial compression are reported here.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
CA025C	6	70
CA060C	6	70

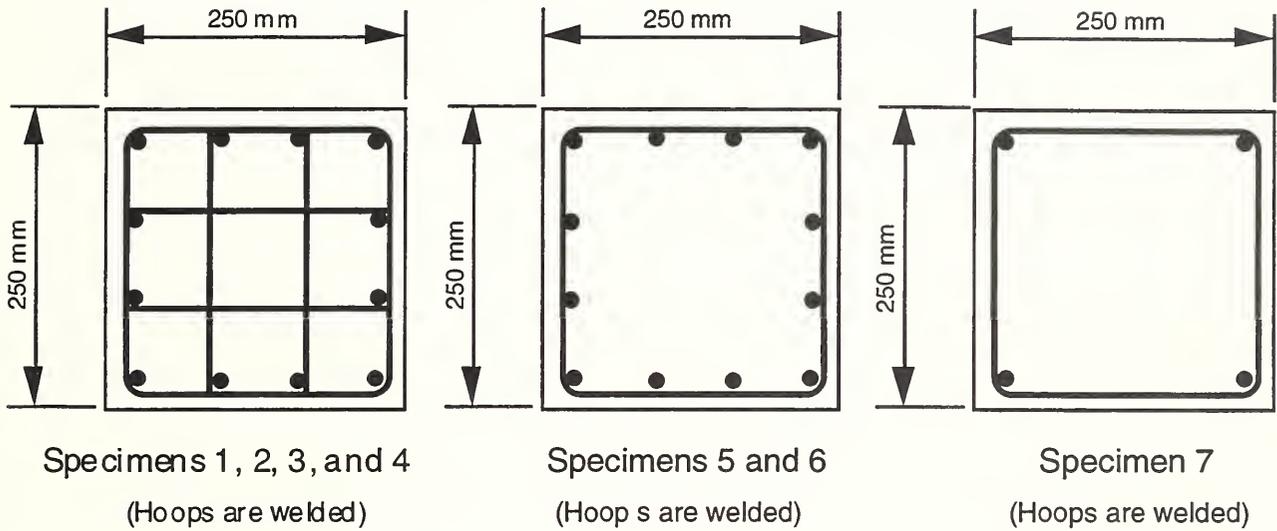
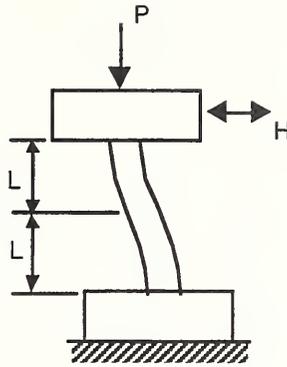
Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	Axial Load Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ^*	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
CA025C	25.8	265	0.25	0.0236	361	0.0091	426
CA060C	25.8	636	0.60	0.0236	361	0.0091	426

Longitudinal steel - twelve deformed bars, 10 mm dia

*Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimens: L=300 mm

Data Files: ONO025C.WK1
 ONO060C.WK1



Sakai, Yuuki; Hibi, Junichi; Otani, Shunsuke; and Aoyama, Hiroyuki, "Experimental Study on Flexural Behavior of Reinforced Concrete Columns Using High-Strength Concrete," *Transactions of the Japan Concrete Institute*, Vol. 12, 1990, pp. 323-330.

The main purpose of this study was to investigate the behavior of columns made of high strength concrete. Eight double curvature specimens were tested. Digital data files were obtained directly from the authors. The axial load applied to Specimen B8 was not constant, so results from B8 are not presented here.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
B1	5	60
B2	5	40
B3	5.5	60
B4	5	60
B5	5	30
B6	7	60
B7	5	30

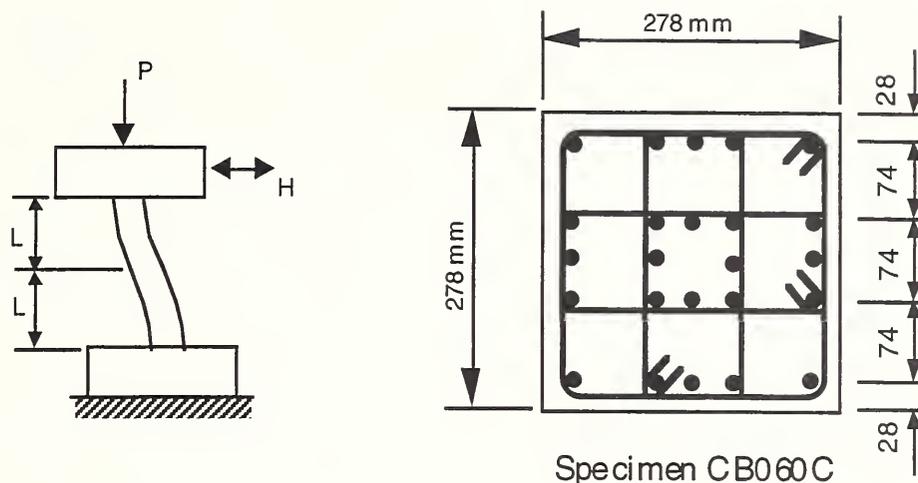
Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	<u>Axial Load</u> Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ^*	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
B1	99.5	2176	0.35	0.0255	379	0.0050	774
B2	99.5	2176	0.35	0.0255	379	0.0075	774
B3	99.5	2176	0.35	0.0255	379	0.0061	344
B4	99.5	2176	0.35	0.0255	379	0.0050	1126
B5	99.5	2176	0.35	0.0255	379	0.0050	774
B6	99.5	2176	0.35	0.0255	379	0.0050	857
B7	99.5	2176	0.35	0.0181	339	0.0050	774

Longitudinal steel - Specimens B1 to B6, twelve 13 mm diameter deformed bars
Specimen B7, four 19 mm diameter deformed bars

*Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimens: $L = 500$ mm

Data Files: SAK90B1.WK1
 SAK90B2.WK1
 SAK90B3.WK1
 SAK90B4.WK1
 SAK90B5.WK1
 SAK90B6.WK1
 SAK90B7.WK1



Amitsu, Shigeyuki; Shirai, Nobuaki; Adachi, Hiromi; and Ono, Arata, "Deformation of Reinforced Concrete Column with High or Fluctuating Axial Force," *Transactions of the Japan Concrete Institute*, Vol. 13, 1991, pp. 355-362.

Three double curvature specimens were tested at 1/3.25 scale. Only one specimen was tested with a constant axial force. As shown in the sketch above, the configuration of the longitudinal reinforcement was unusual.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
CB060C	6	52

Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	Axial Load / Axial Capacity	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ^*	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
CB060C	46.3	2632	0.74	0.0412	441	0.0089	414

Longitudinal steel - twenty-four deformed bars, 13 mm dia

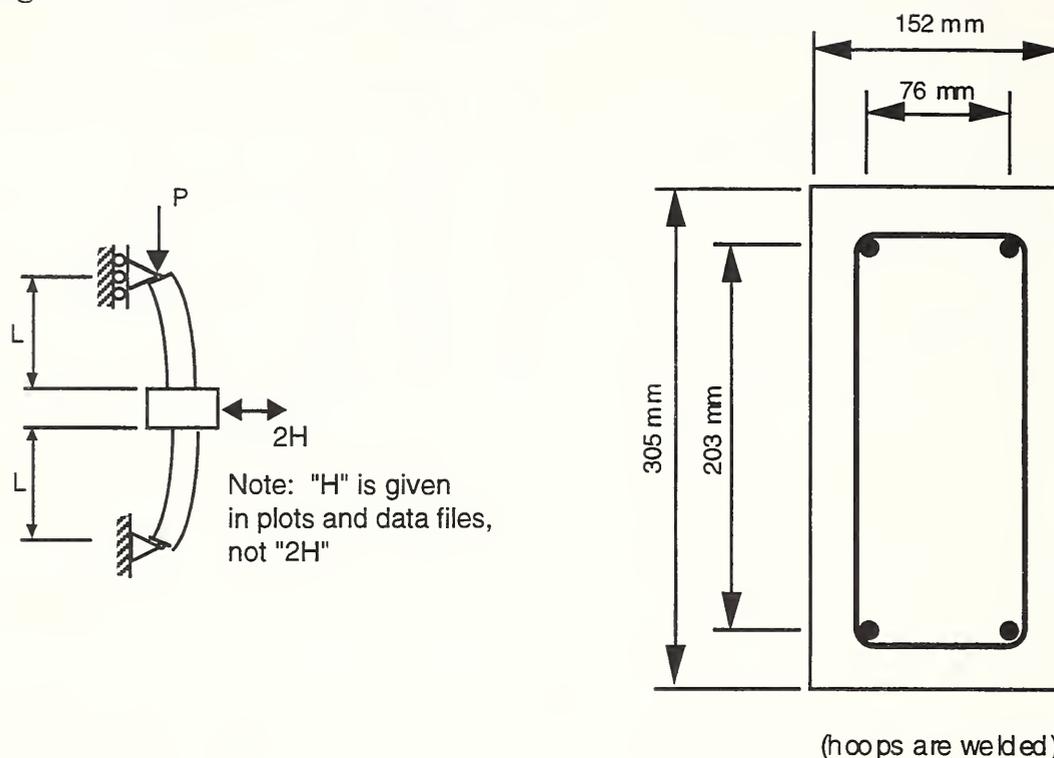
*Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimen: $L=323$ mm

Data File: AMCB060C.WK1

C. Tests Conducted in North America

1973 Wight and Sozen



Wight, J.K.; and Sozen, M.A., "Shear Strength Decay in Reinforced Concrete Columns Subjected to Large Deflection Reversals," *Structural Research Series No. 403*, Civil Engineering Studies, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, Ill., Aug. 1973, 290 pages.

The main variables studied in this series were the axial load level, the transverse reinforcement content, and the displacement ductility demand. Twelve double-ended specimens were tested, but axial load was applied to only seven of the specimens. The central stub of each column was clamped so that it was immobile. Axial loads were applied by a self-reacting system of high strength steel rods and hydraulic ram. Lateral loads were applied by actuators at each end of the specimen; bending was about the strong axis of the cross section. Data was given for each end of the specimen, so in this report 14 load-displacement plots are presented: two plots for each axially loaded specimen.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
40.033a	6.3	127
40.048	6.3	89
40.033	6.3	127
25.033	6.3	127
40.067	6.3	64
40.147	9.5	64
40.092	9.5	102

Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	Axial Load Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ^*	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
40.033a	34.7	189	0.12	0.0061	496	0.0033	345
40.048	26.1	178	0.15	0.0061	496	0.0048	345
40.033	33.6	178	0.11	0.0061	496	0.0033	345
25.033	33.6	111	0.07	0.0061	496	0.0033	345
40.067	33.4	178	0.11	0.0061	496	0.0067	345
40.147	33.5	178	0.11	0.0061	496	0.0147	317
40.092	35.5	178	0.11	0.0061	496	0.0092	317

Longitudinal steel - 4 deformed bars, 19 mm dia

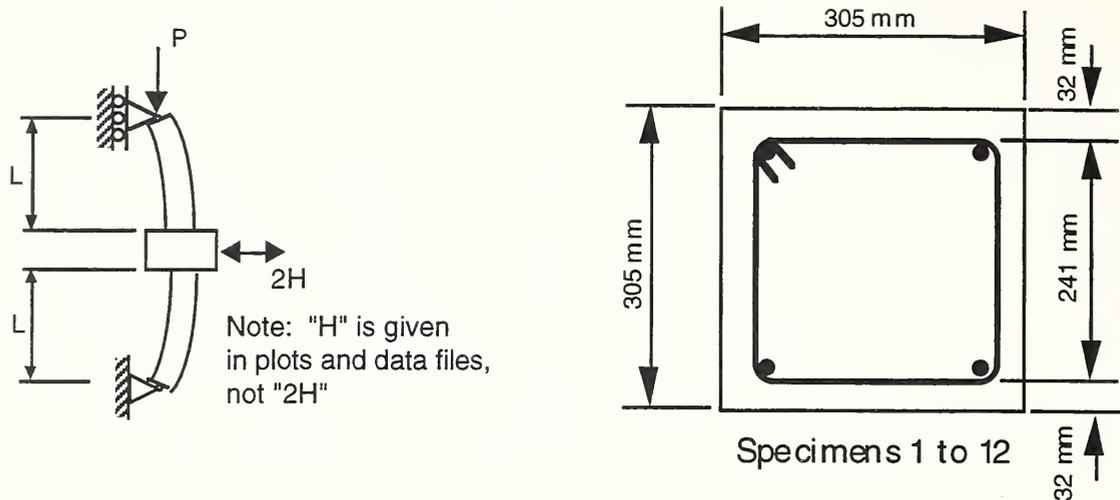
Lateral reinforcement: 6.3 mm dia. bars are undeformed; 9.5 mm dia. bars are deformed

*Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimens: L=876 mm

Data Files: WS25033E.WK1
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 WS033E.WK1
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 WS048W.WK1
 WS067E.WK1
 WS067W.WK1
 WS092E.WK1
 WS092W.WK1
 WS147E.WK1
 WS147W.WK1

1975 Atalay and Penzien



Atalay, M.B.; and Penzien, J., "The Seismic Behaviour of Critical Regions of Reinforced Concrete Components as Influenced by Moment, Shear and Axial Force," Report No. EERC 75-19, University of California, Berkeley, Dec. 1975, 226 pages.

The main variables studied in this series were the level of axial stress; the quantity of lateral reinforcement; and the displacement history applied to the specimen. Twelve double-ended specimens were tested, however, only ten of the analog load-deflection plots could be digitized. The two ends of each specimen had pinned boundary condition, and cyclic lateral displacements were applied to the central stub. Axial loads were applied by a hydraulic actuator reacting against a buttress. (Note that a second loading sequence was applied to specimens 1 to 8, but data from the second loading sequence is not reported here).

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
1S1	9.5	76
2S1	9.5	127
3S1	9.5	76
4S1	9.5	127
5S1	9.5	76
6S1	9.5	127
9	9.5	76
10	9.5	127
11	9.5	76
12	9.5	127

Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	Axial Load Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ^*	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
1S1	29.1	267	0.099	0.0167	367	0.0154	363
2S1	30.7	267	0.094	0.0167	367	0.0093	363
3S1	29.2	267	0.098	0.0167	367	0.0154	363
4S1	27.6	267	0.104	0.0167	429	0.0093	363
5S1	29.4	534	0.196	0.0167	429	0.0154	392
6S1	31.8	534	0.181	0.0167	429	0.0093	392
9	33.3	801	0.259	0.0167	363	0.0154	392
10	32.4	801	0.266	0.0167	363	0.0093	392
11	31.0	801	0.278	0.0167	363	0.0154	373
12	31.8	801	0.271	0.0167	363	0.0093	373

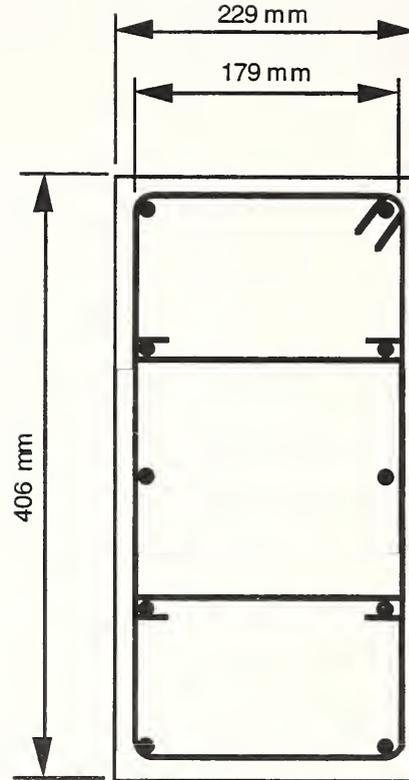
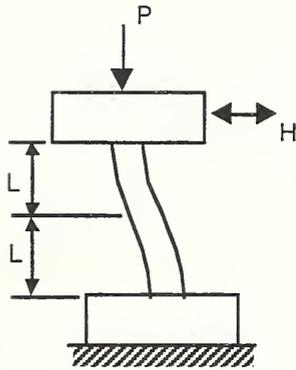
Longitudinal steel - 4 deformed bars, 22 mm diameter, grade 40

Lateral reinforcement: 9.5 mm diameter deformed bars, grade 40

*Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimens: $L = 1676$ mm

Data Files: AT75N1S1.WK1
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 AT75N3S1.WK1
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 AT75N9.WK1
 AT75N10.WK1
 AT75N11.WK1
 AT75N12.WK1



Specimens CUS, CUW, and 2CUS

Umehara, H.; and Jirsa, J.O., "Shear Strength and Deterioration of Short Reinforced Concrete Columns Under Cyclic Deformations," PMFSEL Report No. 82-3, Department of Civil Engineering, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas, July 1982, 256 pages.

Ten short rectangular columns were tested and the results compared to the results of previous tests on square columns. The main variables investigated were the applied lateral load history and the level of axial load. Of the ten columns tested in this series, only three were subjected to both an applied constant axial load and a uniaxial lateral loading path. The ends of the specimens were restrained against rotation.

Unit No.	Direction of Bending	Lateral Reinforcement	
		Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
CUS	Strong	6	64
CUW	Weak	6	64
2CUS	Strong.	6	64

Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	<u>Axial Load</u> Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ^*	f_y MPa	ρ^*	f_y MPa
CUS	34.9	534	0.165	0.0306	441	0.0028	414
CUW	34.9	534	0.165	0.0306	441	0.0031	414
2CUS	42.0	1068	0.274	0.0306	441	0.0028	414

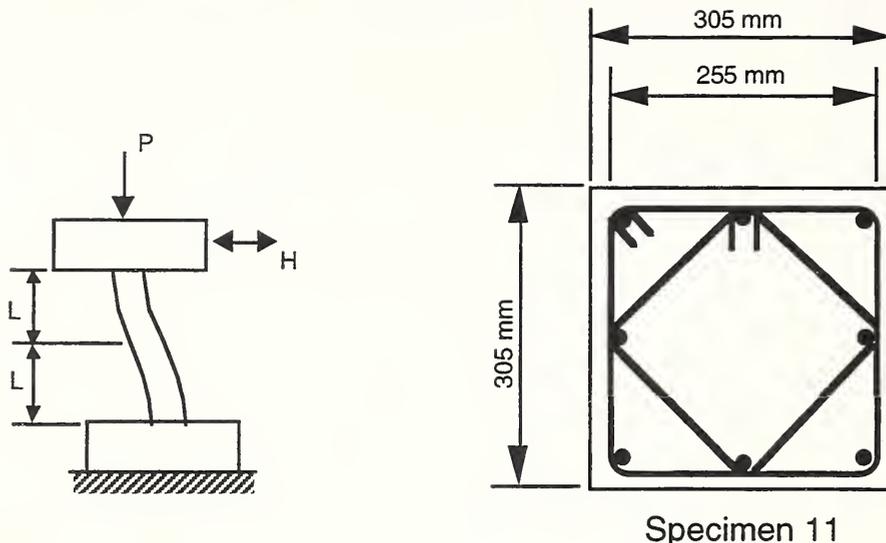
Longitudinal steel - 10 deformed bars, 19 mm diameter

Lateral reinforcement: 6 mm diameter deformed bars

*Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimens: $L = 457$ mm

Data Files: UMECUS.WK1
 UMECUW.WK1
 UME2CUS.WK1



Bett, Bart J.; Klingner, Richard E.; and Jirsa, James O., "Behavior of Strengthened and Repaired Reinforced Concrete Columns Under Cyclic Deformations," PMFSEL Report No. 85-3, Department of Civil Engineering, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas, December 1985, 75 pages.

Three columns at two-thirds scale were tested. Two columns were strengthened by adding reinforced concrete jackets before testing. Results from these strengthened specimens are not reported here; only data from the one unstrengthened specimen were digitized for this report. The specimens were subjected to a constant axial load, and the ends of the specimens were restrained against rotation.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
1-1	6	203

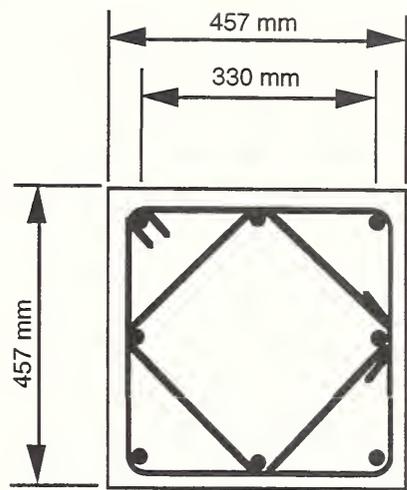
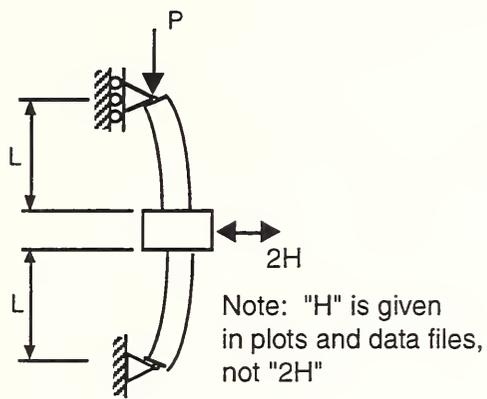
Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	Axial Load / Axial Capacity	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ^*	f_y MPa	ρ^*	f_y MPa
1-1	29.9	288	0.104	0.0244	462	0.0026	414

Longitudinal steel - eight deformed bars, 19 mm dia
 Lateral reinforcement: 6 mm diameter deformed bars

* Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimen: $L=457$ mm

Data File: BETTNO11.WK1



Specimens NC-2 and NC-4

Azizinamini, Atorod; Johal, Lakhpal S.; Hanson, Norman W.; Musser, Donald W.; and Corley, William G., "Effects of Transverse Reinforcement on Seismic Performance of Columns - A Partial Parametric Investigation," Project No. CR-9617, Construction Technology Laboratories, Skokie, Illinois, Sept. 1988.

Twelve full-scale tests were conducted. Eleven of the specimens had a square cross section, and one had a circular cross section. The main variables studied were the level of axial load, type of transverse reinforcement, and the amount and spacing of transverse reinforcement. Digitizable load deflection plots were available for only two of the tests on columns with square cross sections. The tests were conducted using a double-ended specimen, a self-reacting load frame with a hydraulic ram to apply cyclic lateral load, and a universal testing machine to apply constant axial load.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
NC-2	12.7	102
NC-4	9.5	102

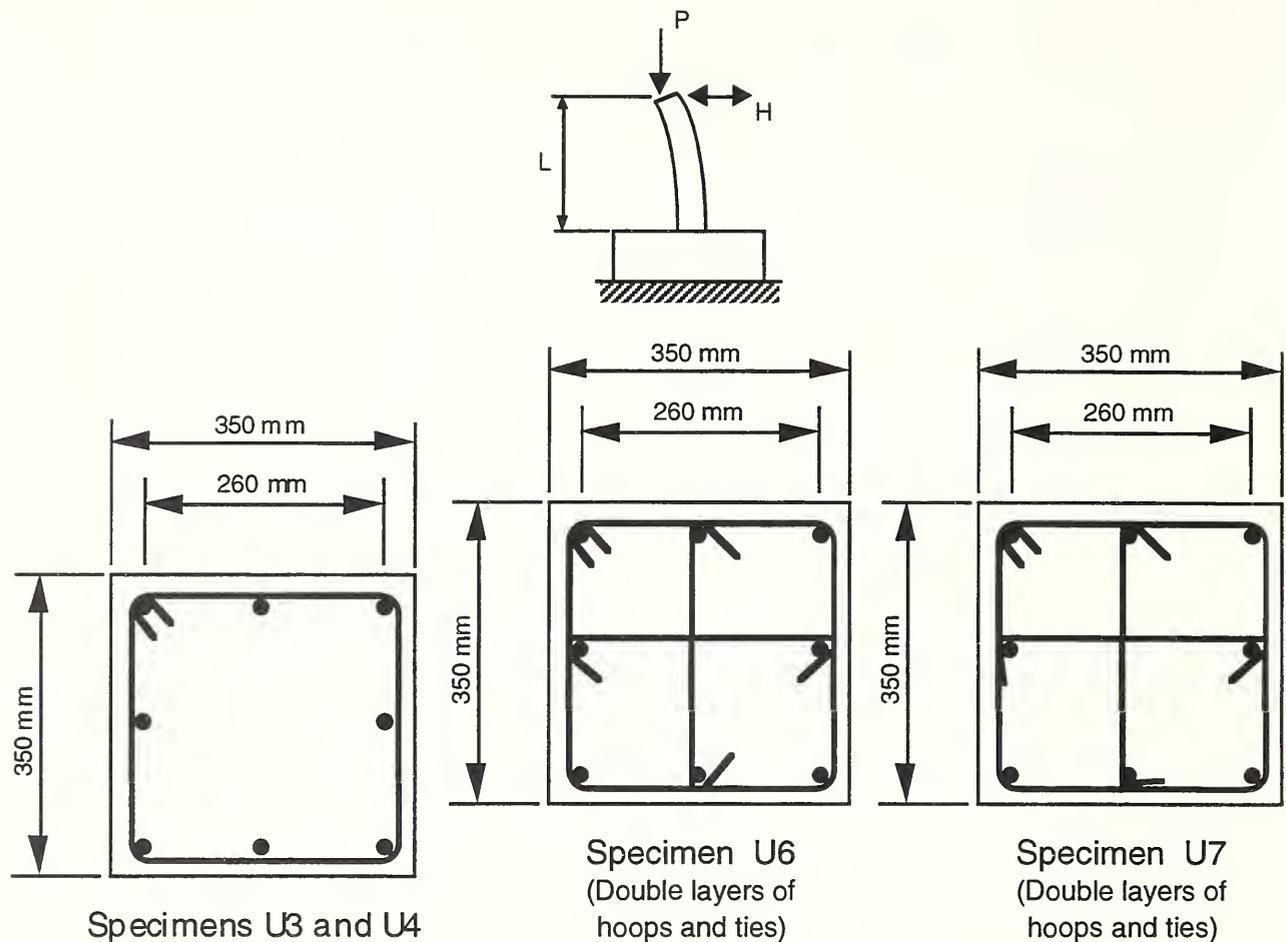
Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	Axial Load Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
NC-2	39.3	1690	0.206	0.0195	439	0.0219	454
NC-4	39.8	2580	0.310	0.0195	439	0.0126	616

Longitudinal steel - eight deformed bars, 25.4 mm diameter
 Lateral reinforcement: 12.7 or 9.5 mm diameter deformed bars

*Calculated from data given in report

Half height of specimen: $L = 1372$ mm

Data Files: AZI88NC2.WK1
 AZI88NC4.WK1



Saatcioglu, Murat; and Ozcebe, Guney, "Response of Reinforced Concrete Columns to Simulated Seismic Loading," *American Concrete Institute, ACI Structural Journal*, January-February, 1989, pp. 3-12.

The authors conducted a series of tests on 14 cantilever column specimens. The columns cross section was square, and three different lateral reinforcement configurations were tested. The main variables investigated were axial load, confining reinforcement, and deformation path. Of the fourteen specimens, seven had lateral displacements applied along a principal axis of the cross section ("U" series); four had lateral displacements applied along a diagonal of the cross section ("D" series); and two had bidirectional lateral displacement patterns ("B" series). Only certain specimens from the "U" series are presented here. Of the "U" series specimens, U1 had no axial load applied, and U5 had variable axial load, so results for U1 and U5 are not presented. Lateral load vs. lateral displacement data files were obtained directly from the researchers who performed the tests. The data file for specimen U2 was not readable, so data for U2 is not presented.

Unit No.	Lateral Reinforcement	
	Bar dia. mm	Spacing (ctrs.) mm
U3	10	75
U4	10	50
U6	6.4	65
U7	6.4	65

Unit No.	Concrete Strength, MPa	Axial Load kN	<u>Axial Load</u> Axial Capacity*	Longitudinal Reinforcement		Transverse Reinforcement	
				ρ	f_y MPa	ρ	f_y MPa
U3	34.8	600	0.141	0.0327	430	1.69	470
U4	32.0	600	0.153	0.0327	438	2.54	470
U6	37.3	600	0.131	0.0327	437	1.95	425
U7	39.0	600	0.126	0.0327	437	1.95	425

Longitudinal steel - 8 deformed bars, 25 mm dia

*Calculated from data given in report

Height of specimens: L=1000 mm

Data Files: SAATU3.WK1
 SAATU4.WK1
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Chapter 3: Plots of Digitized Lateral Load-Lateral Deflection Data

This chapter contains plots of digital load-deflection test data for the 93 specimens described in this report. Each plot is identified by the test name shown in the upper left corner of the figure. Note that for double-ended specimens (Figure 2, page 3), the force shown in the plot is one-half the force applied at the center stub of the specimen; and for double curvature specimens (Figure 3, page 3) the displacement shown in the plot is one-half the relative displacement between the two end beams of the specimen.

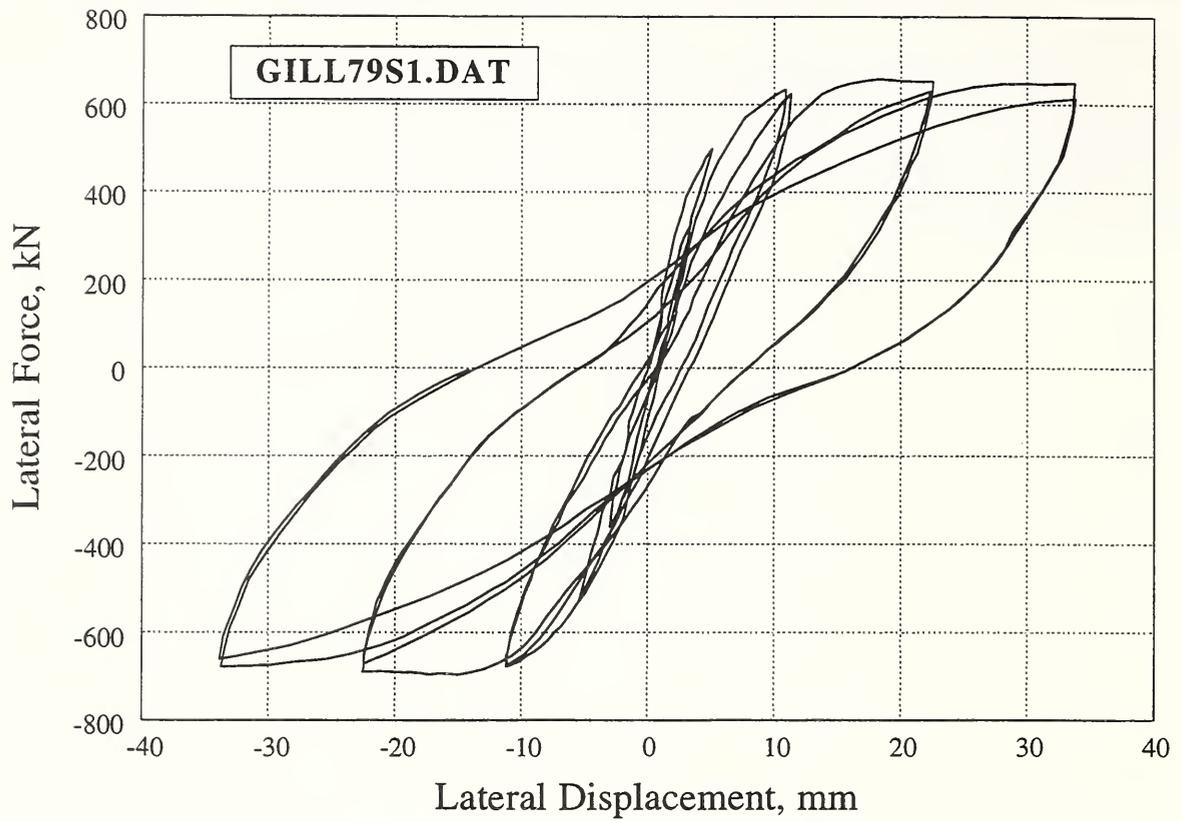


Figure 1. Specimen 1 of Gill 1979

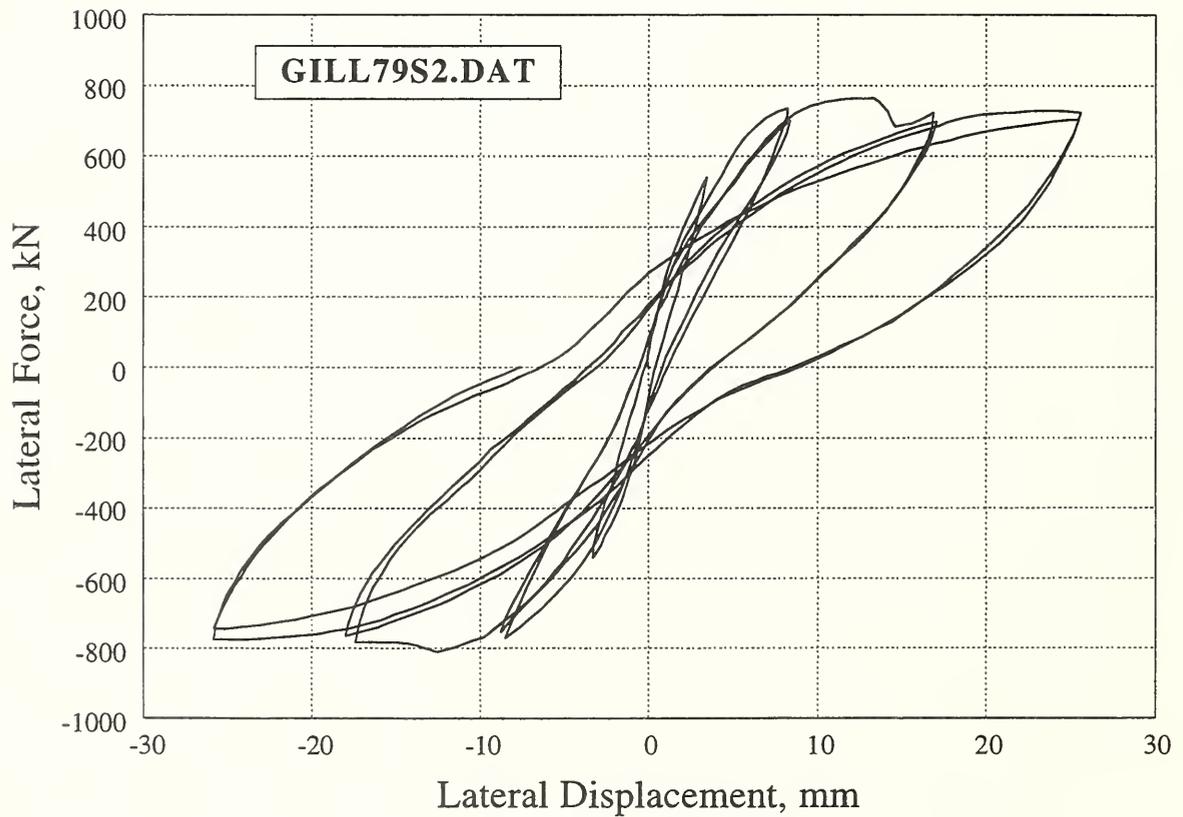


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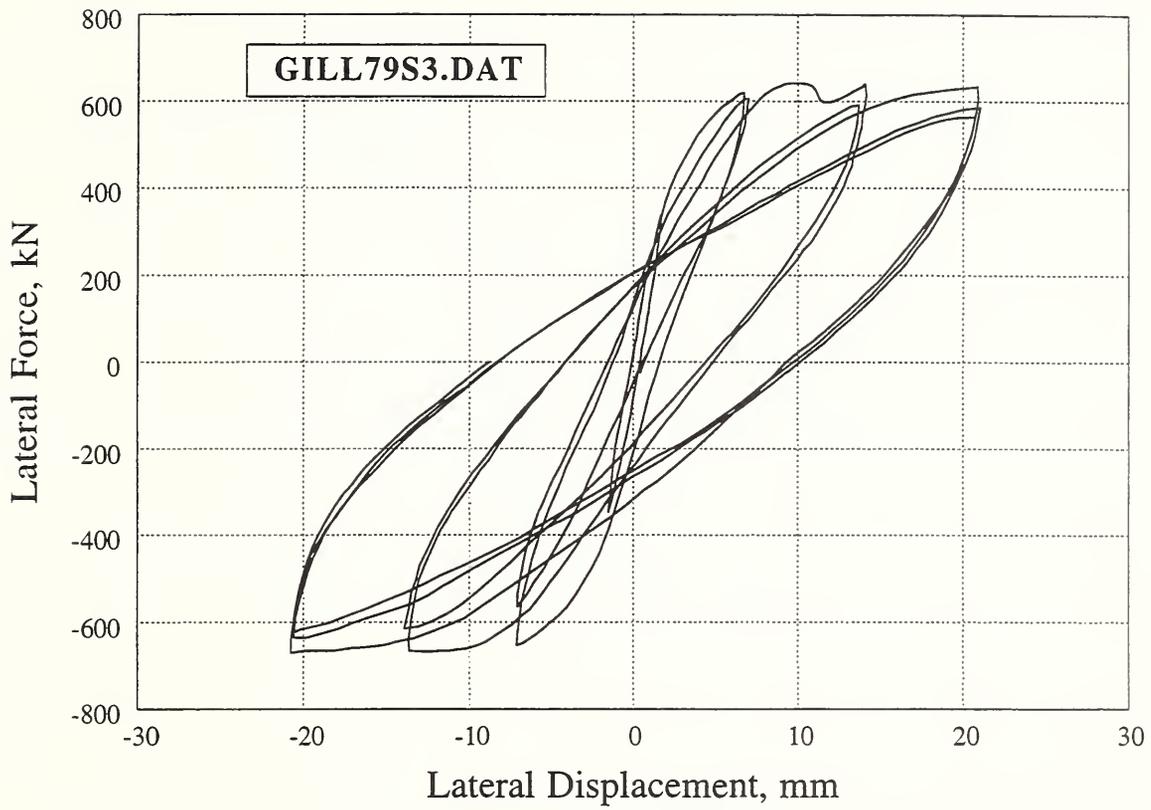


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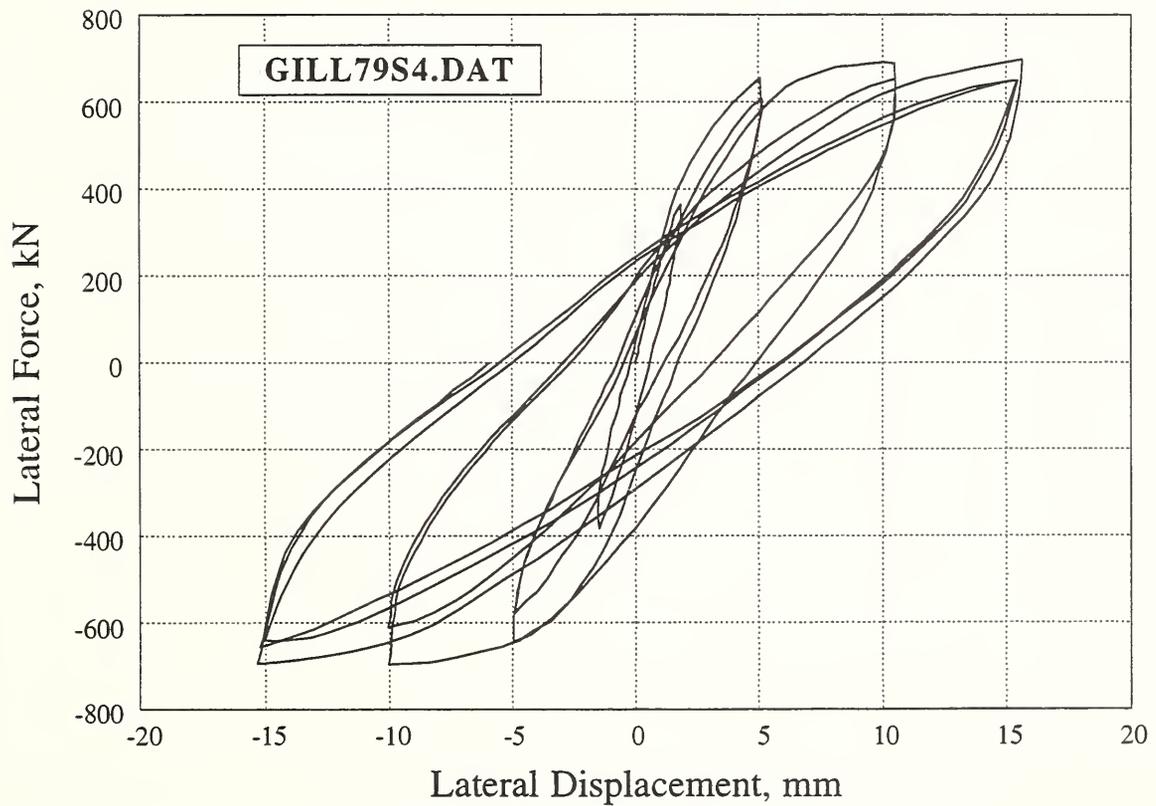


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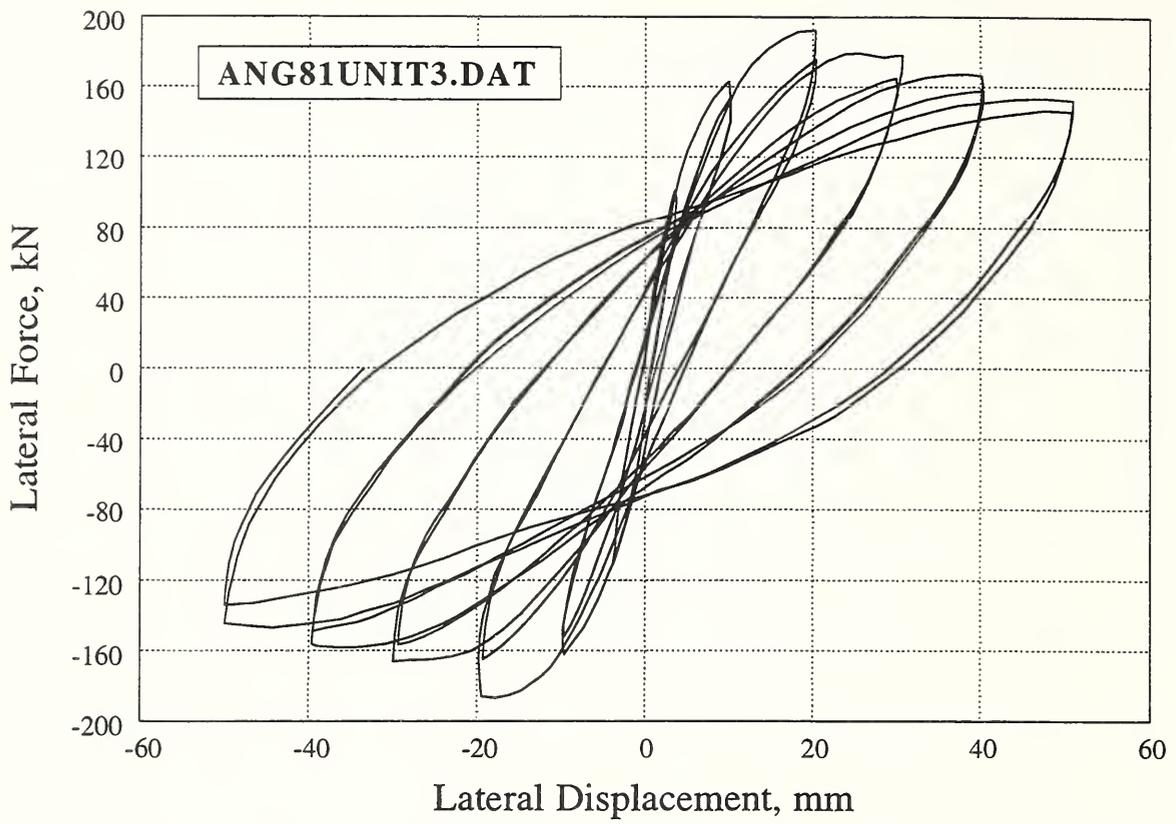


Figure 5. Specimen 3 of Ang 1981

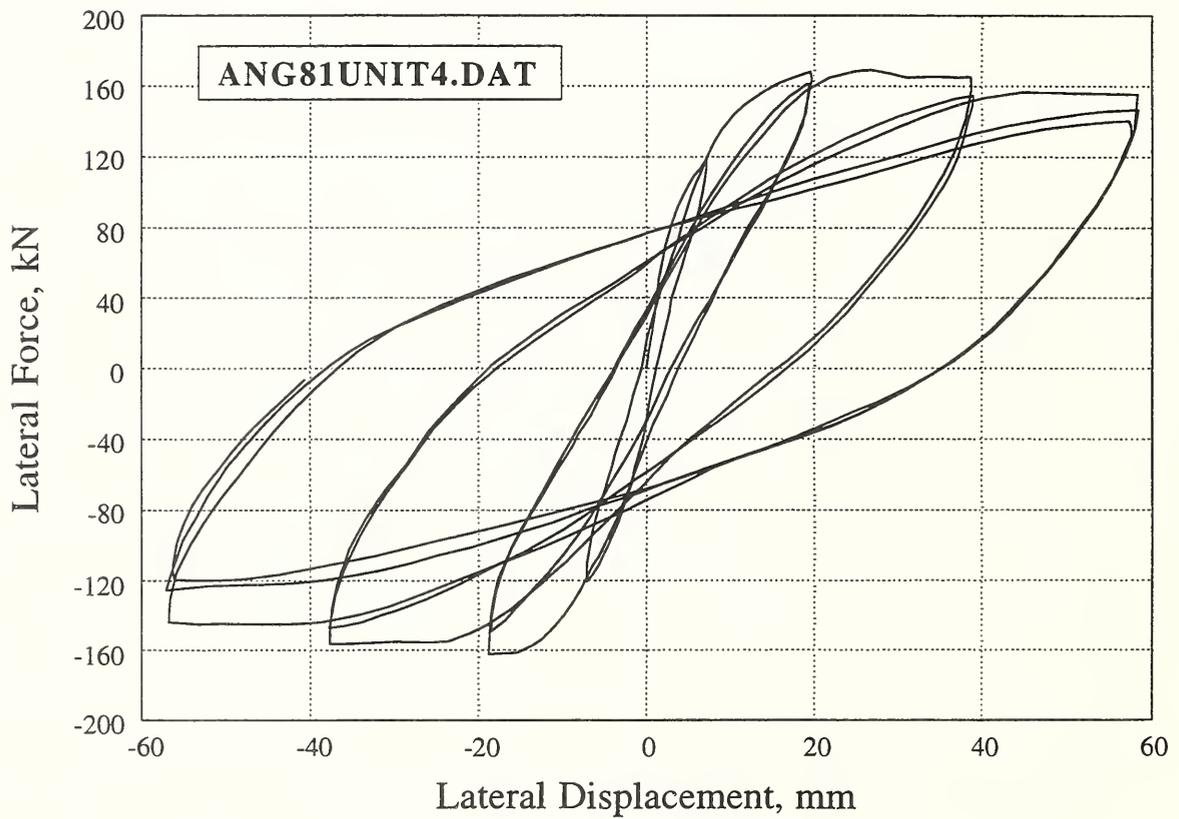


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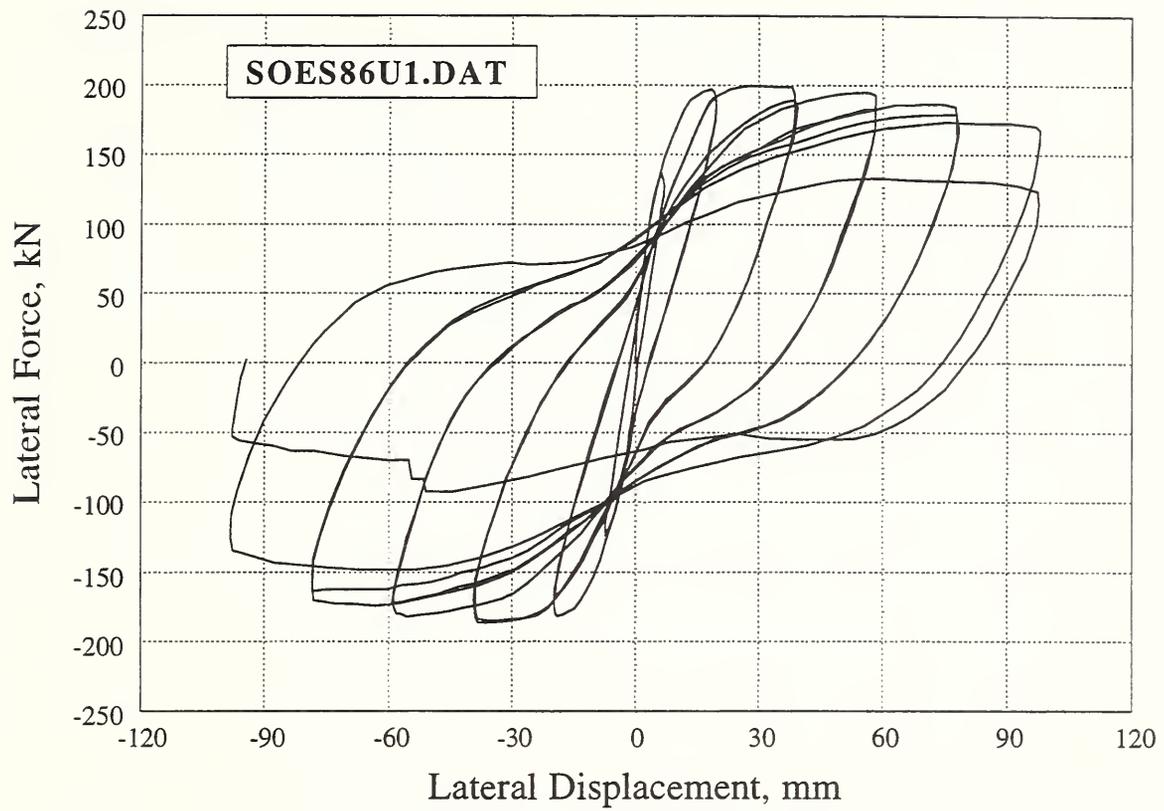


Figure 7. Specimen 1 of Soesianawati 1986

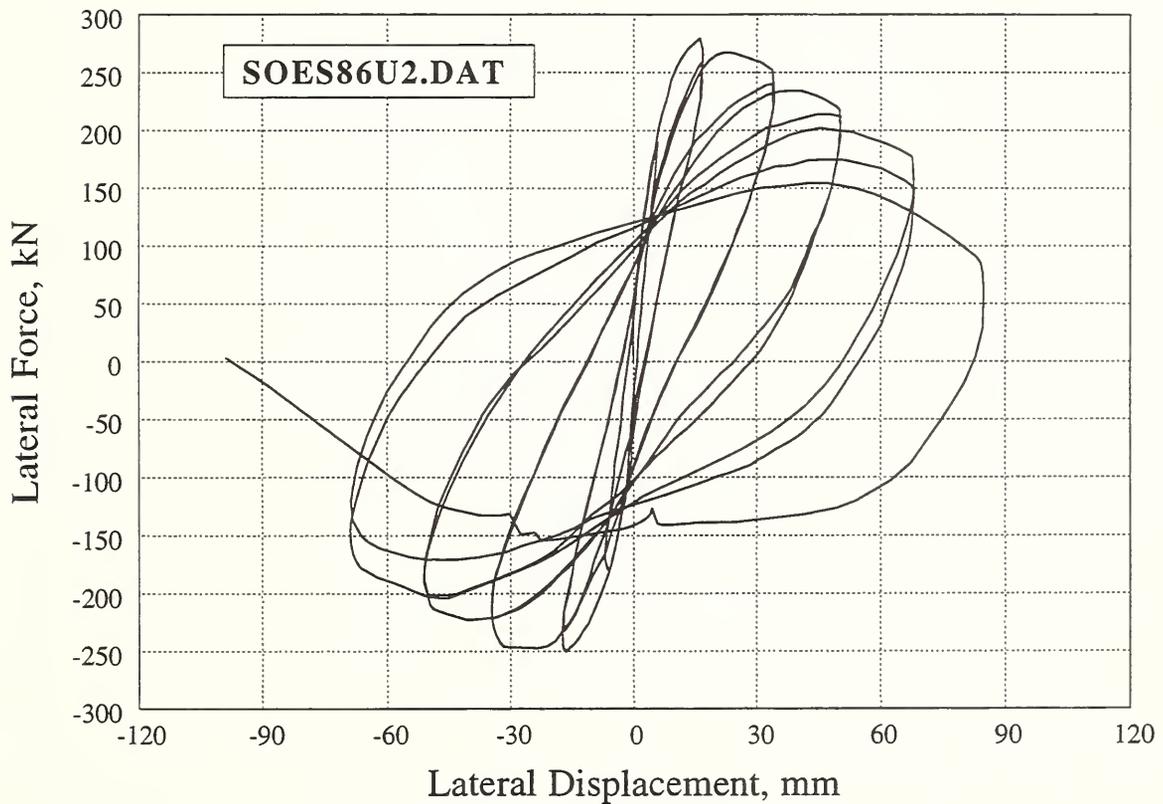


Figure 8. Specimen 2 of Soesianawati 1986

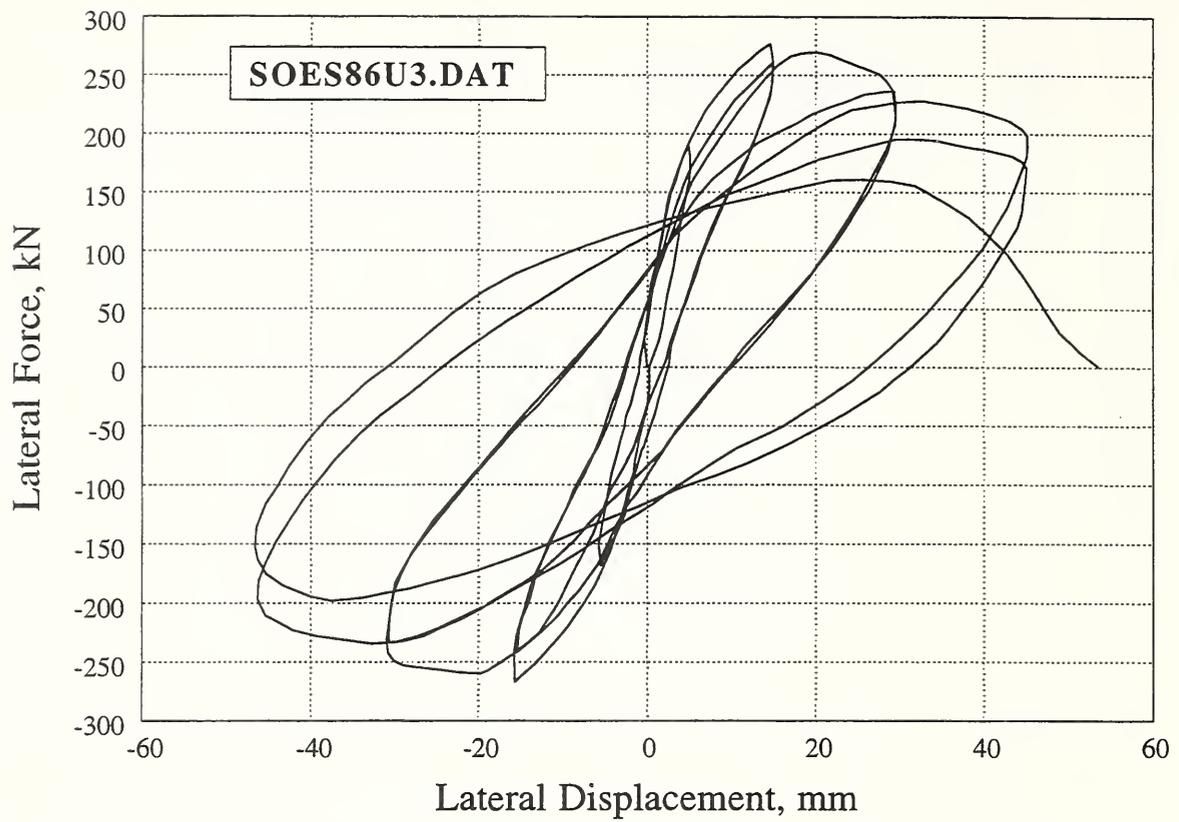


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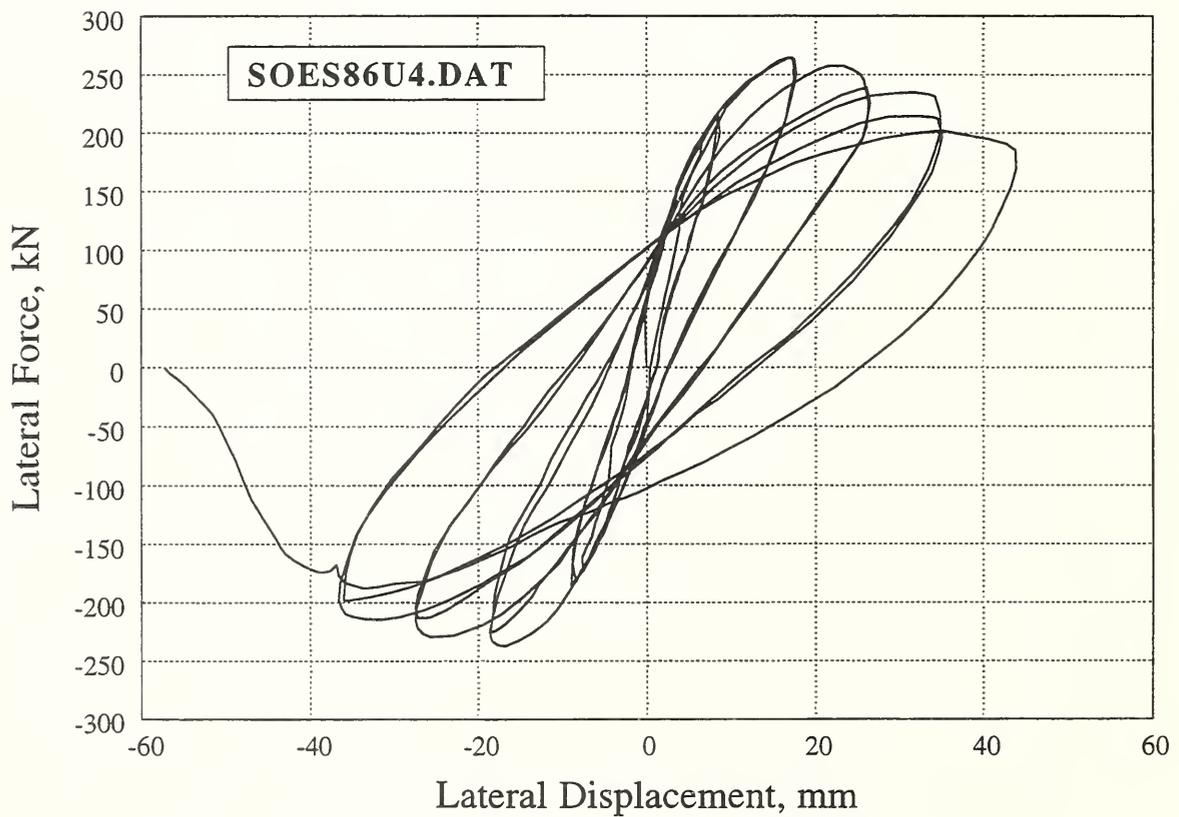


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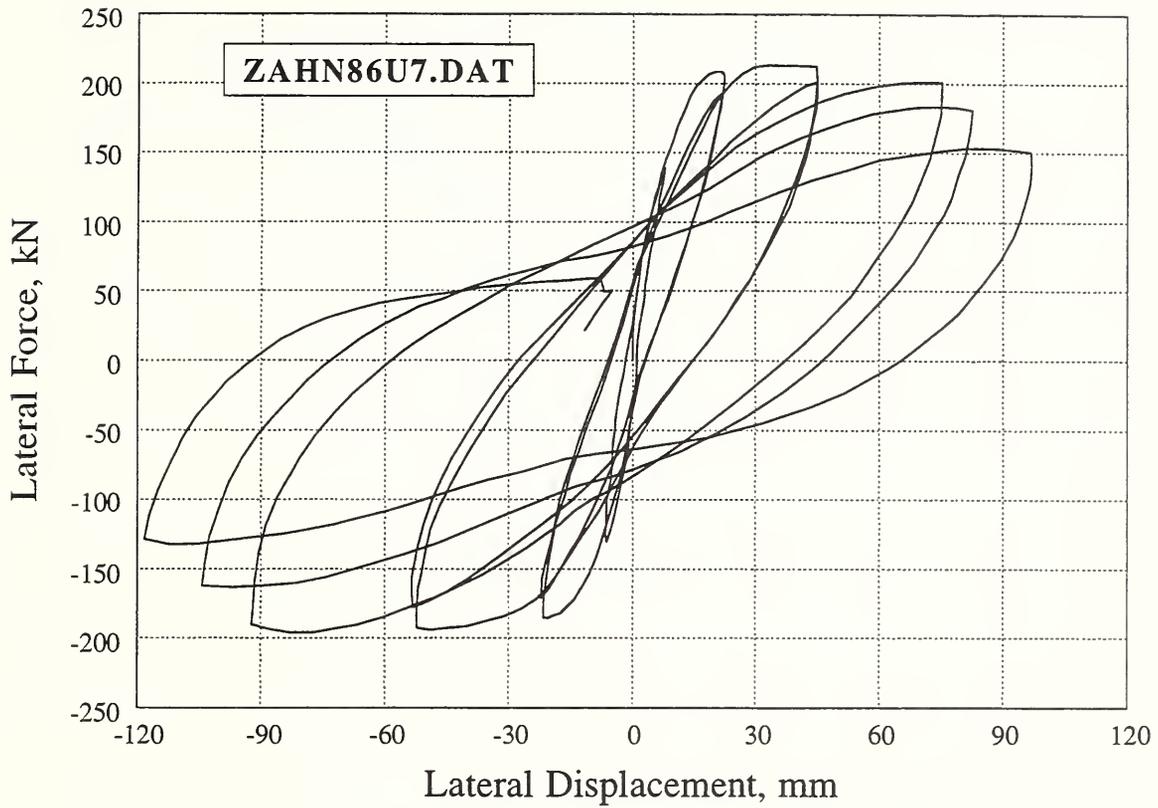


Figure 11. Specimen 7 of Zahn 1986

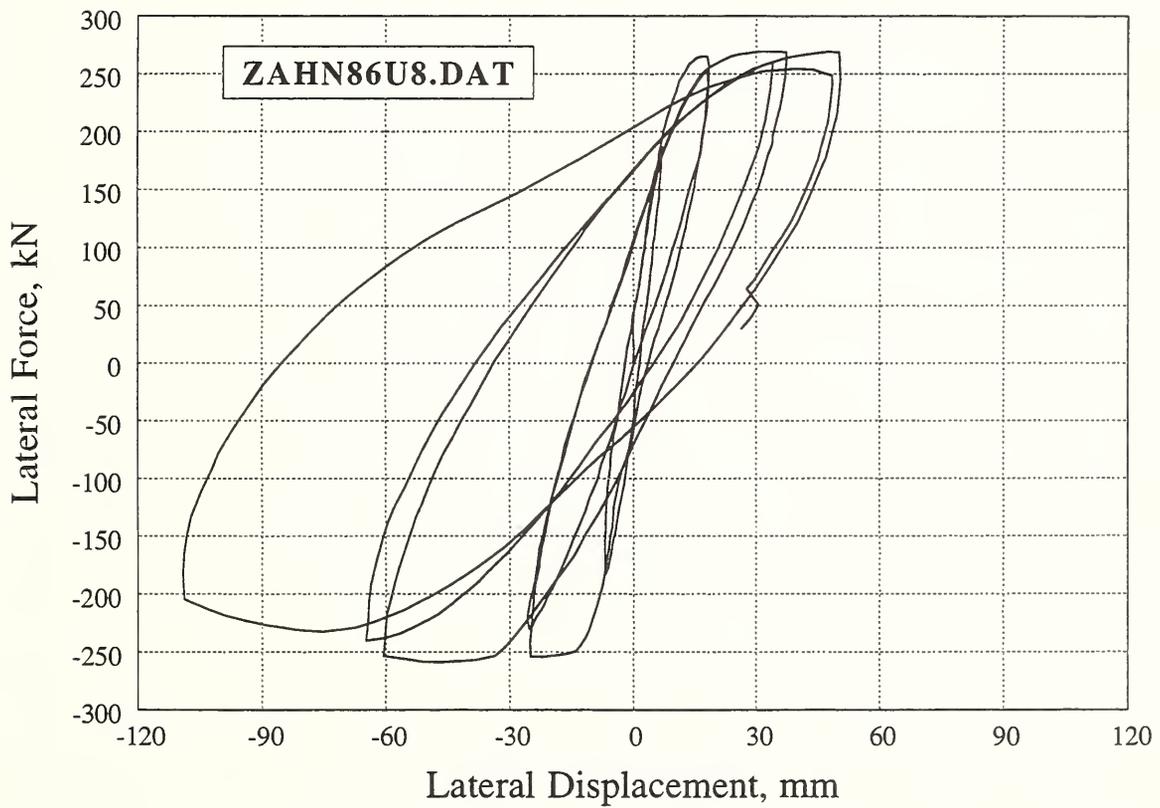


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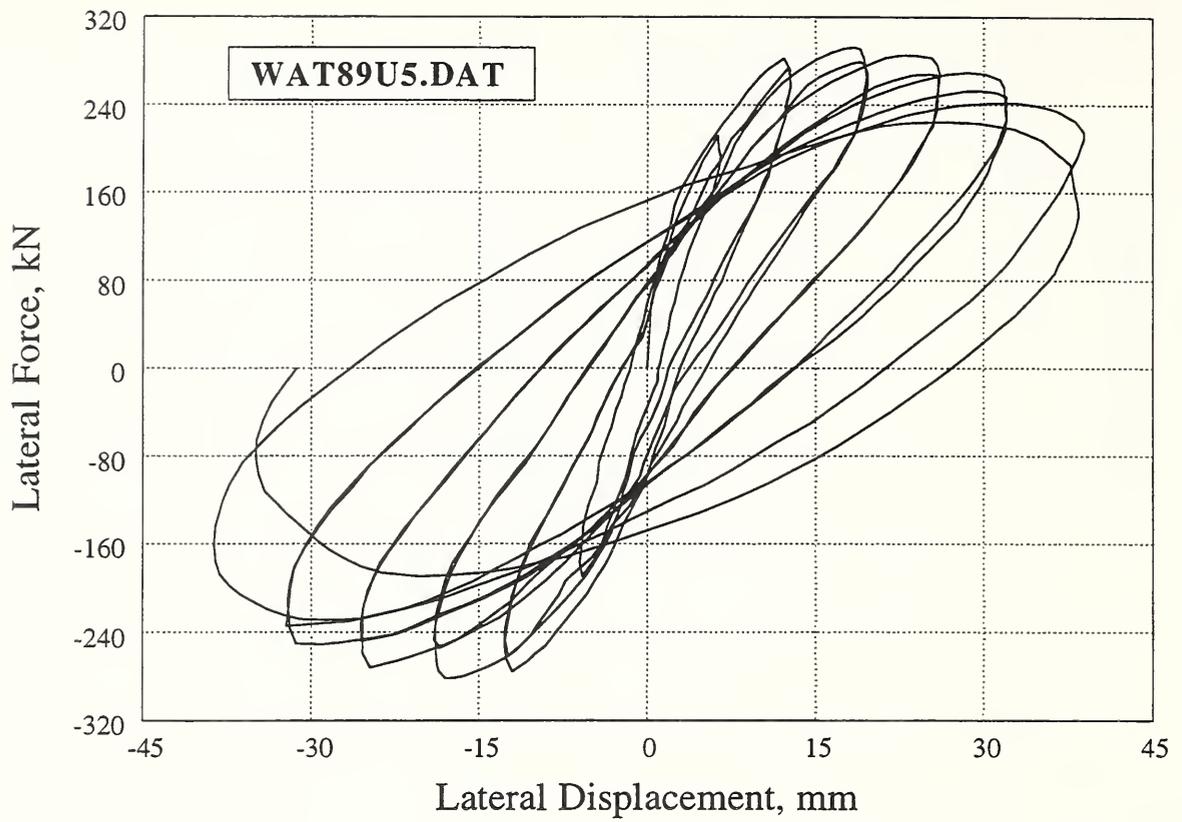


Figure 13. Specimen 5 of Watson 1989

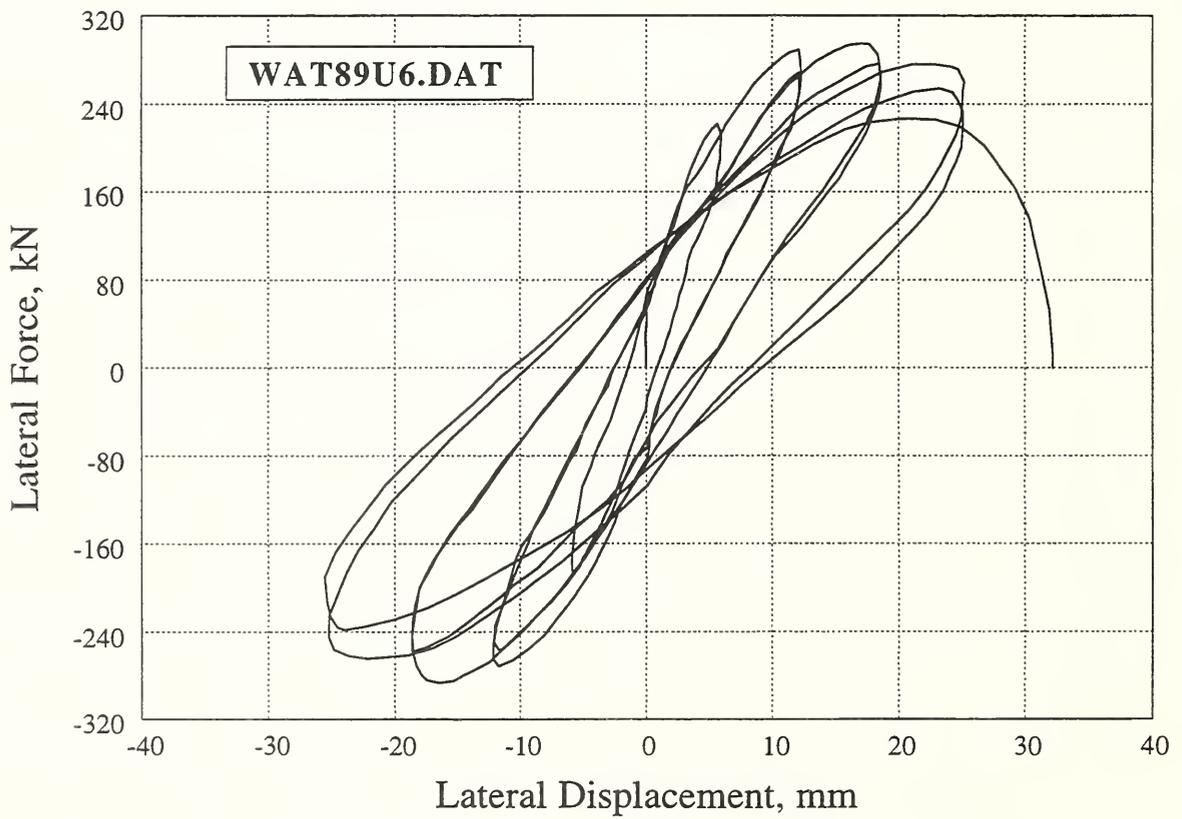


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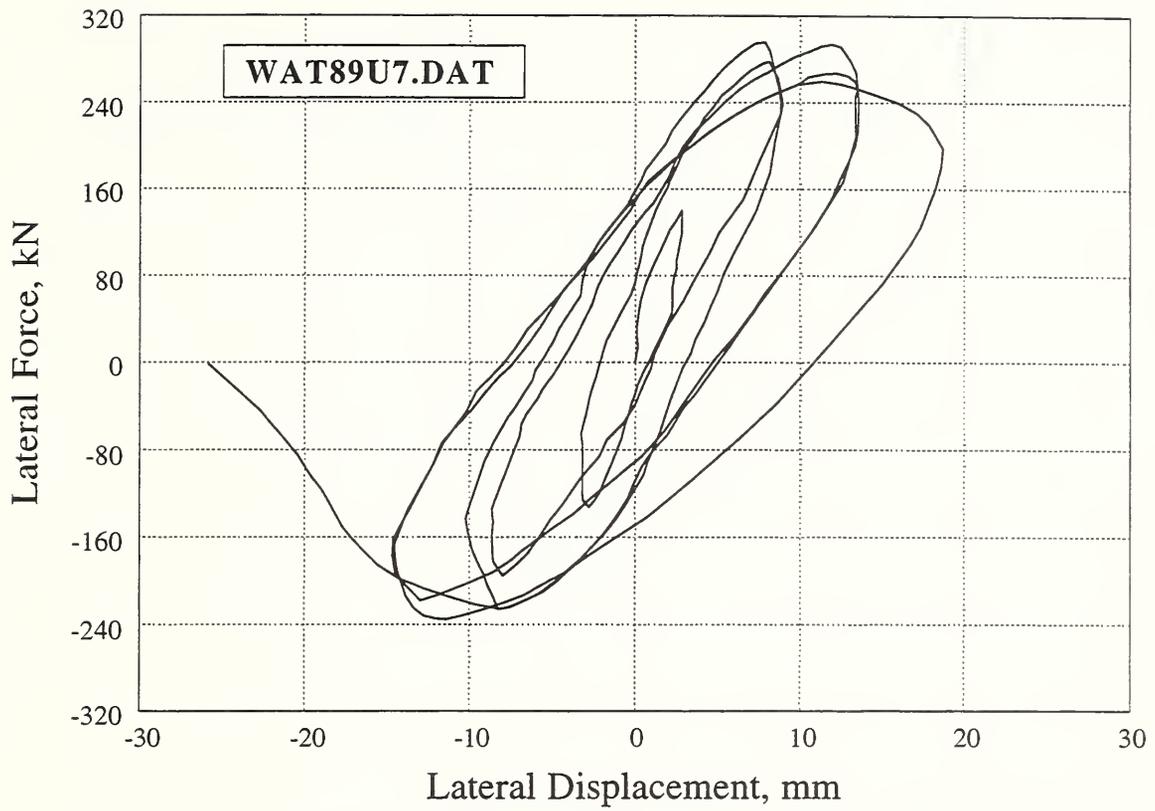


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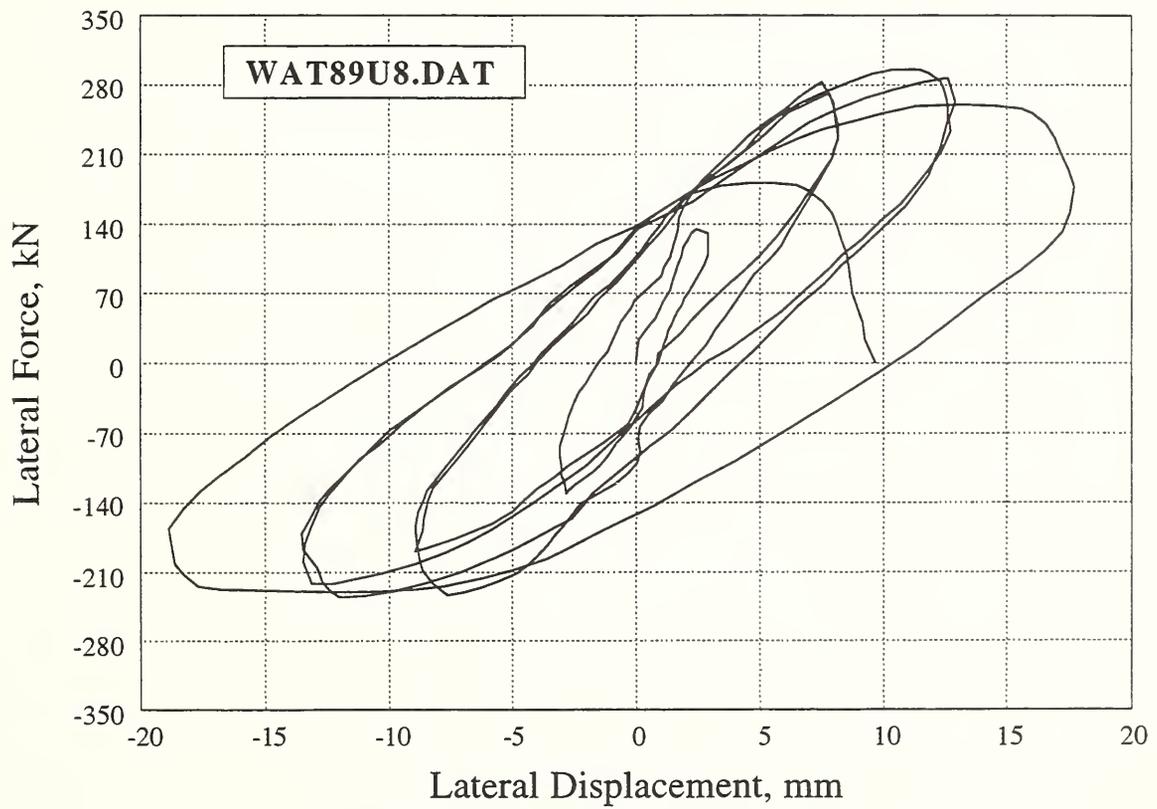


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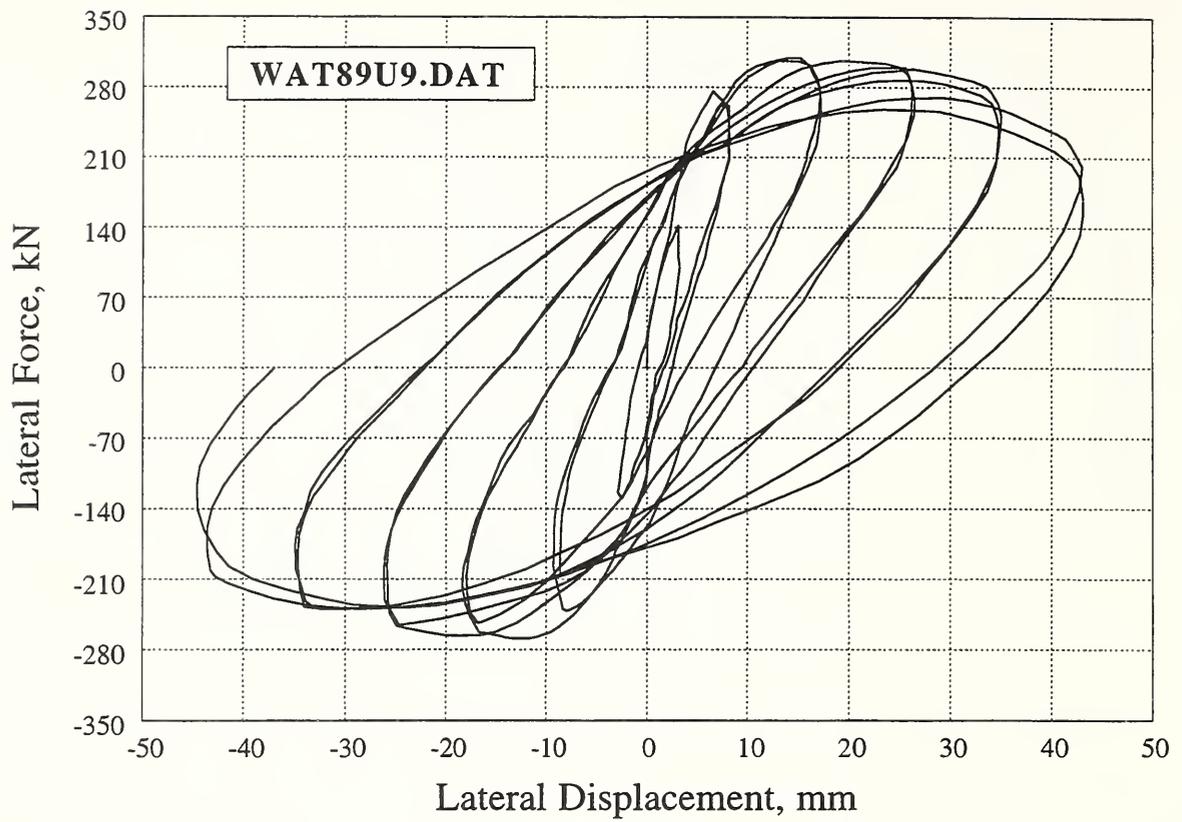


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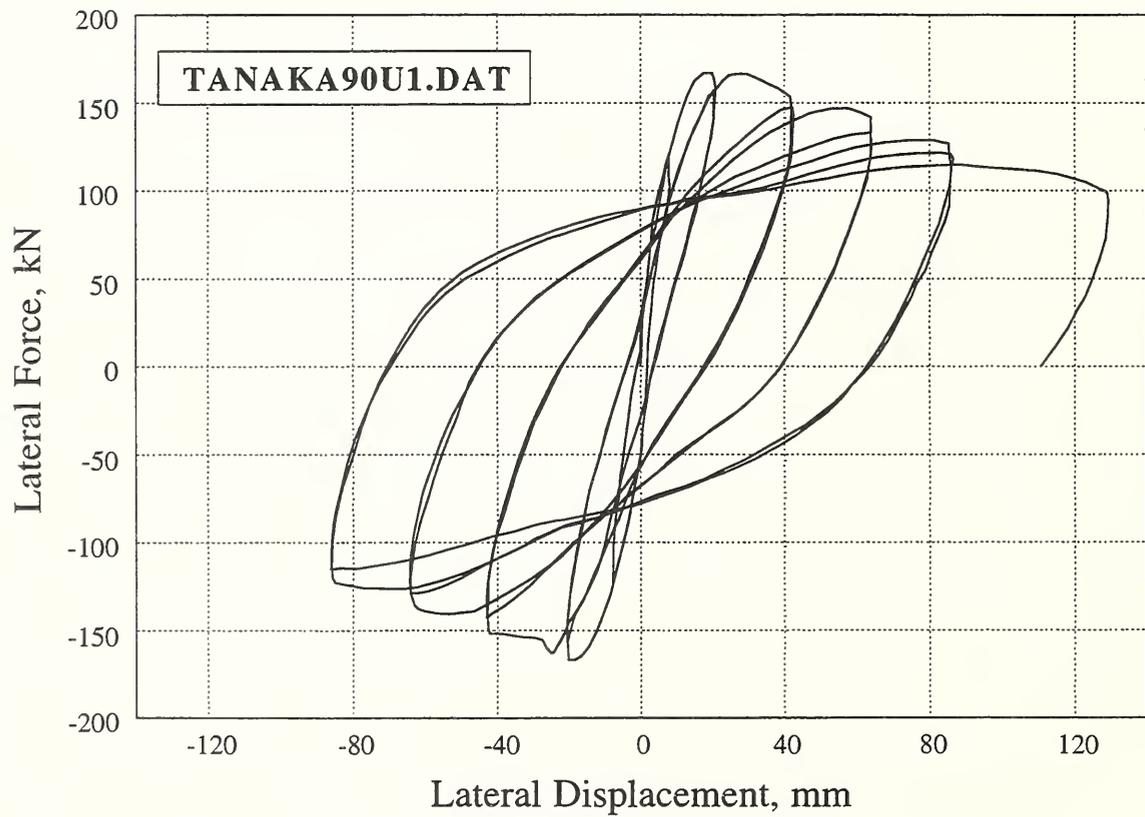


Figure 18. Specimen 1 of Tanaka 1990

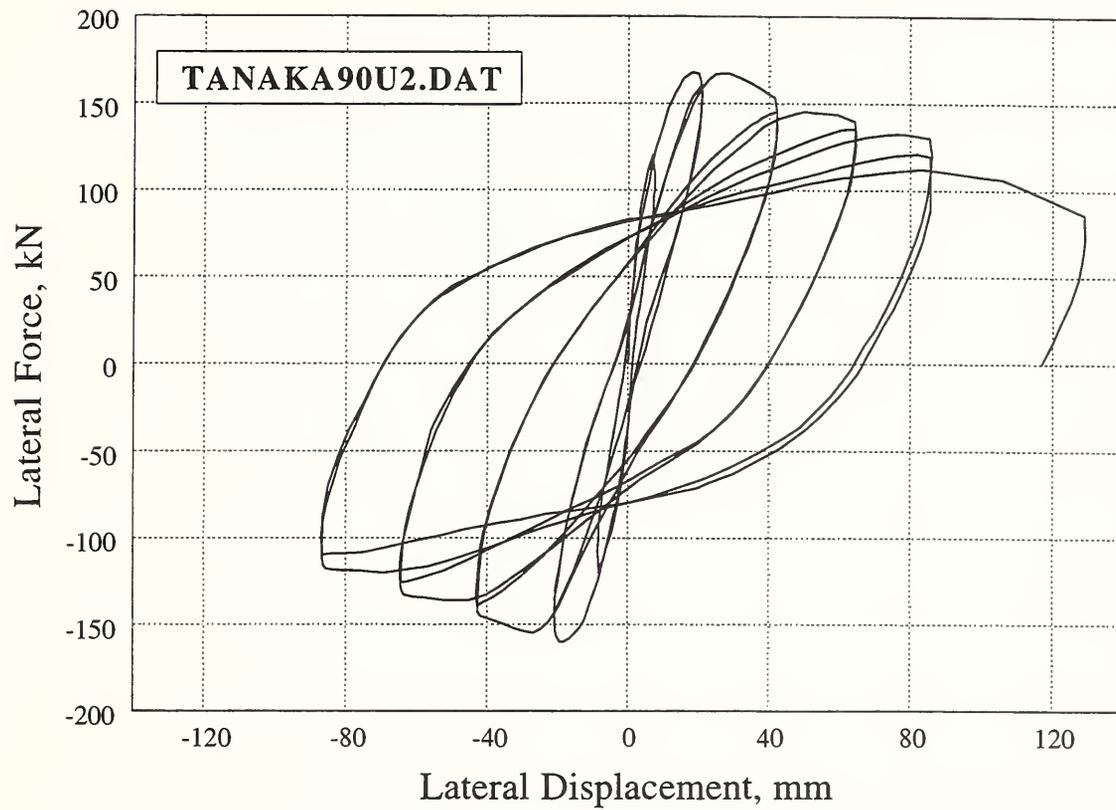


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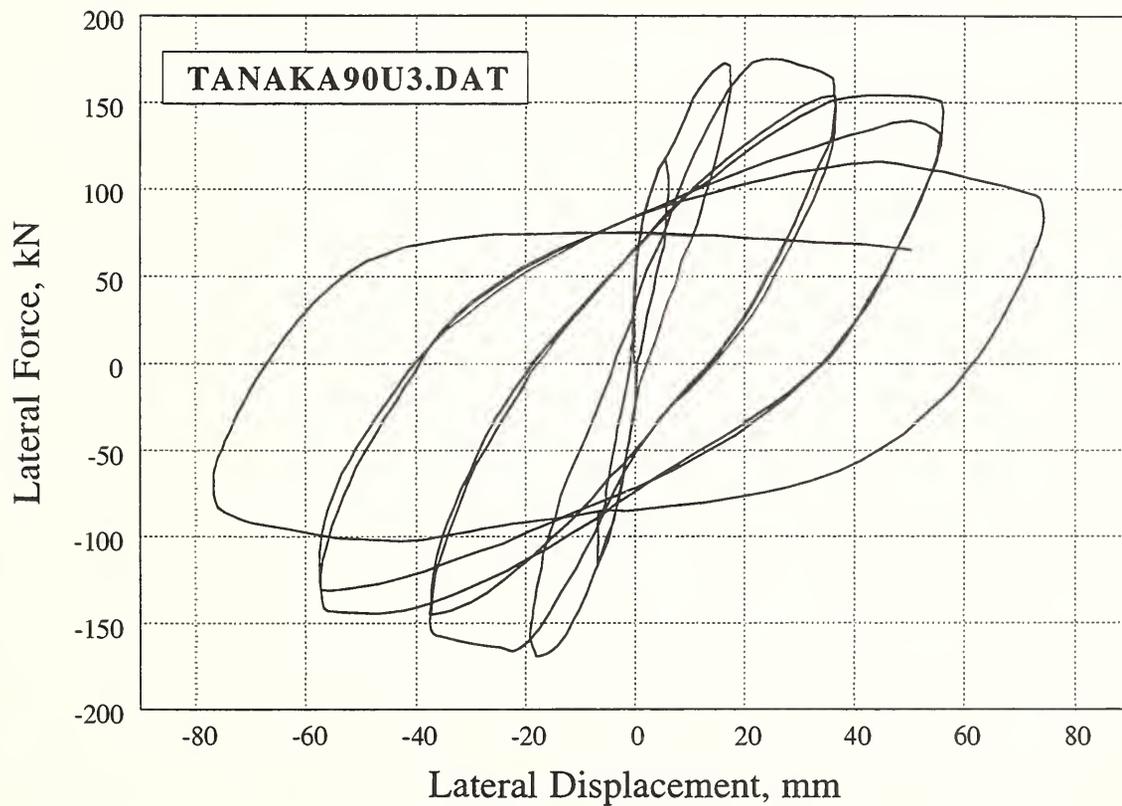


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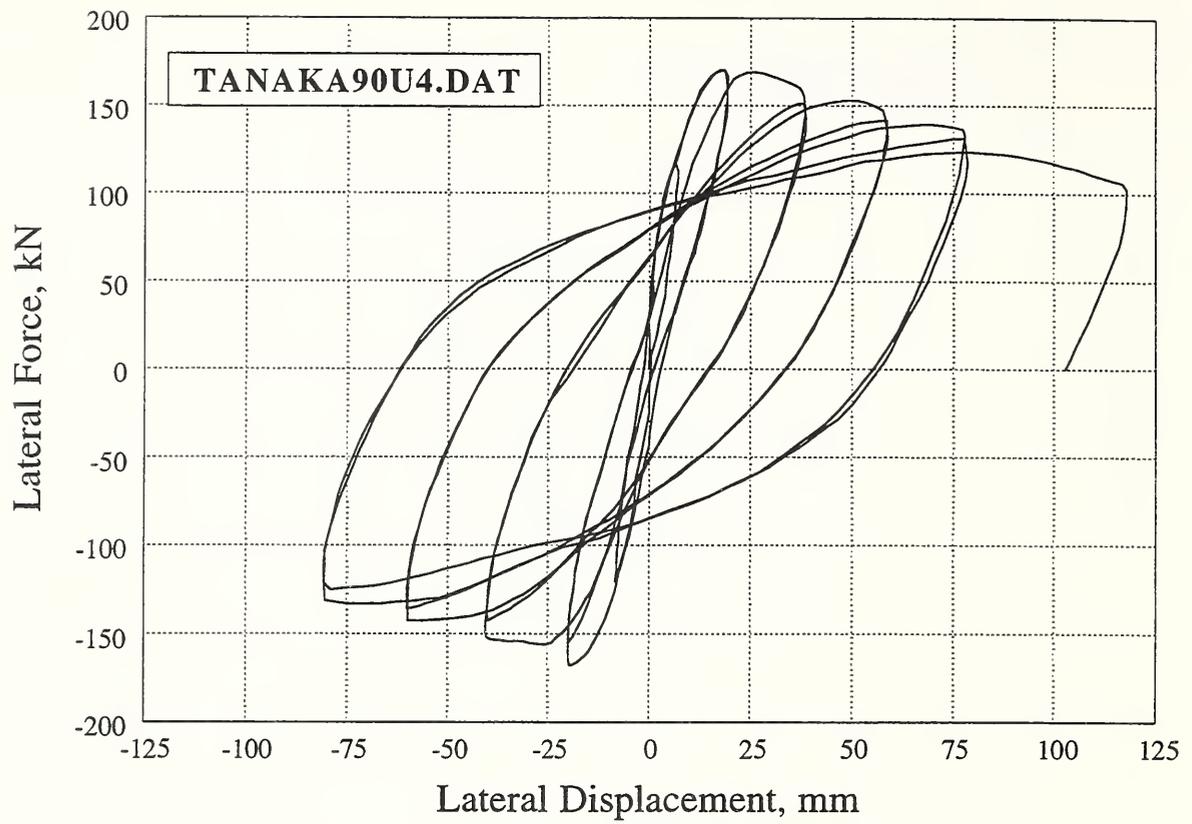


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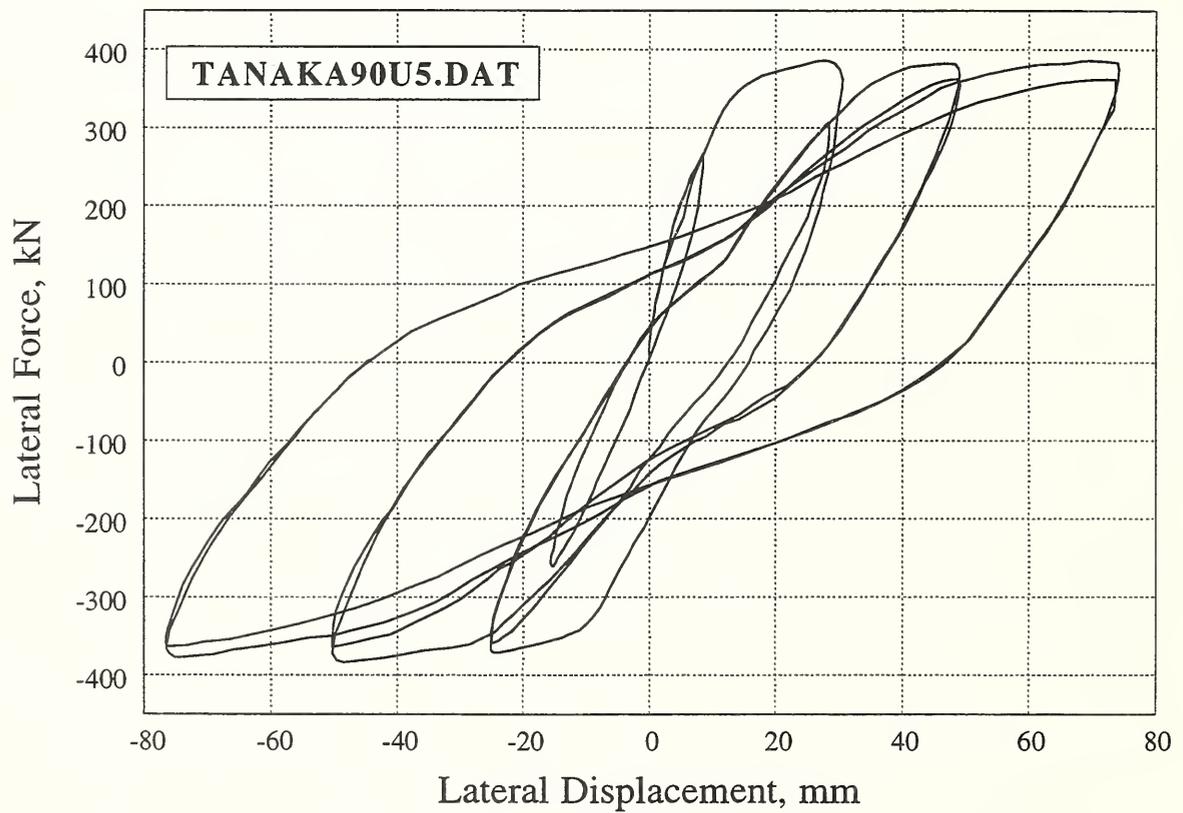


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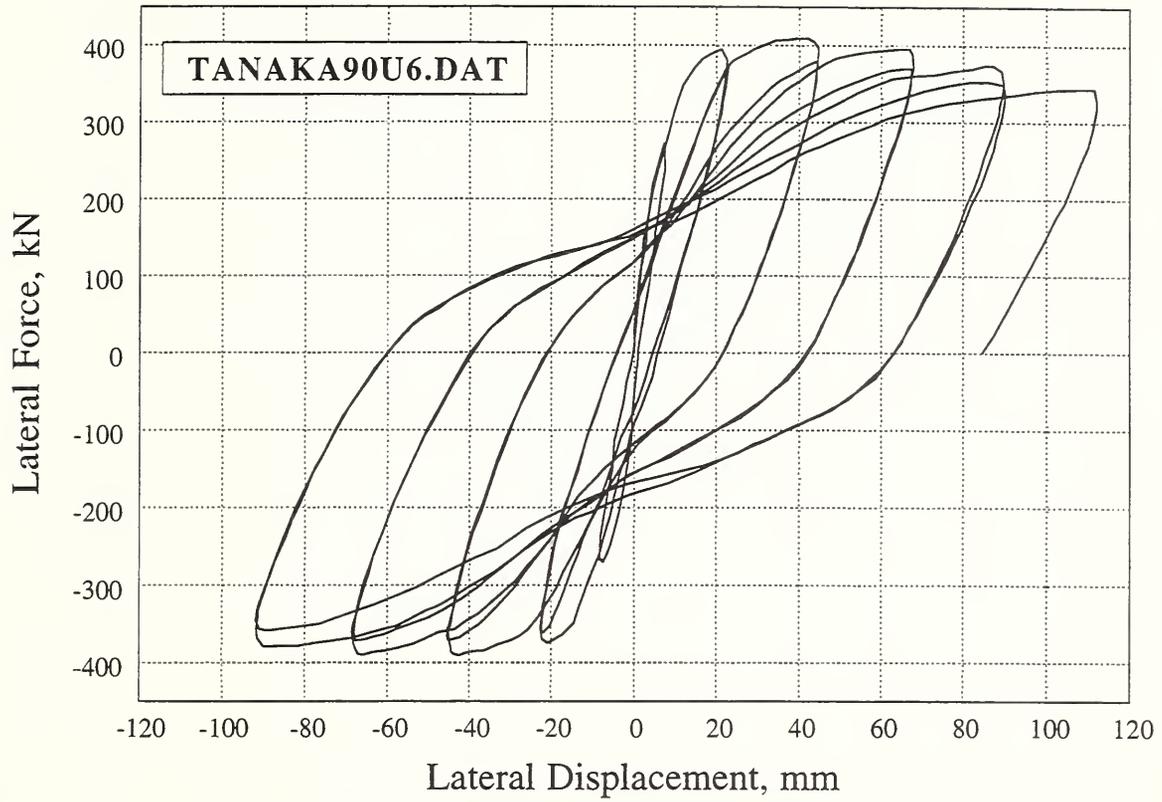


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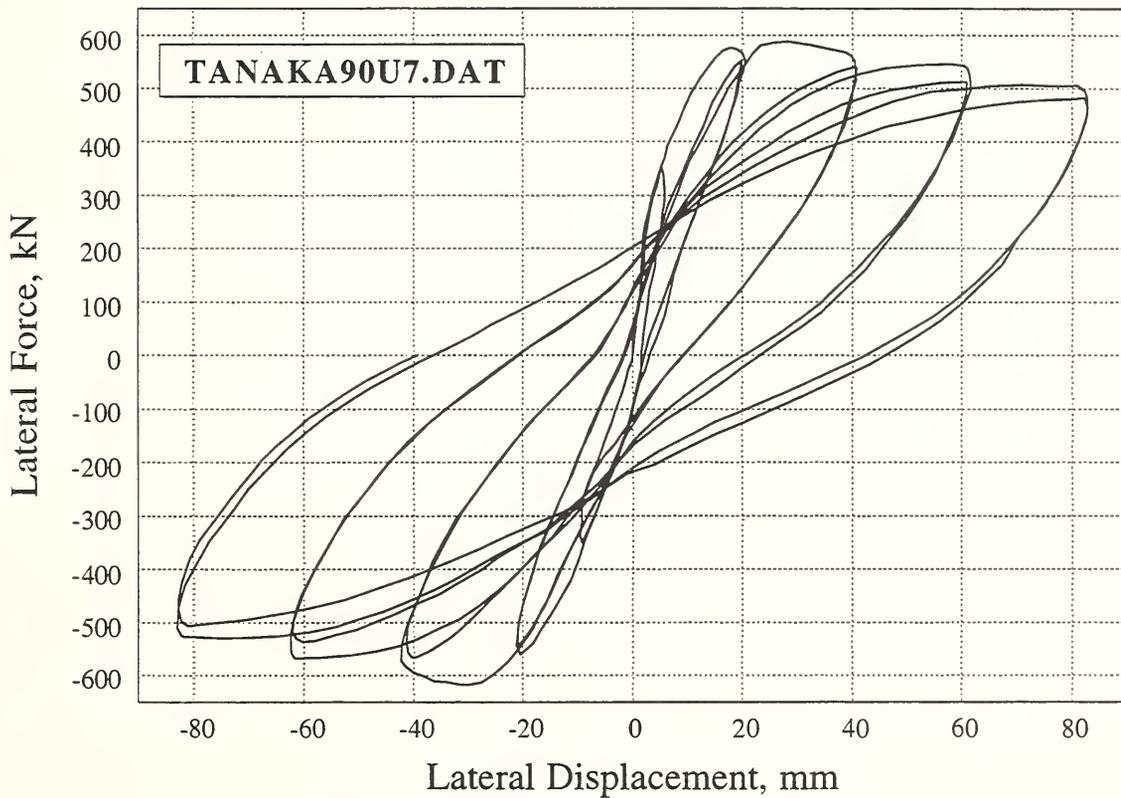


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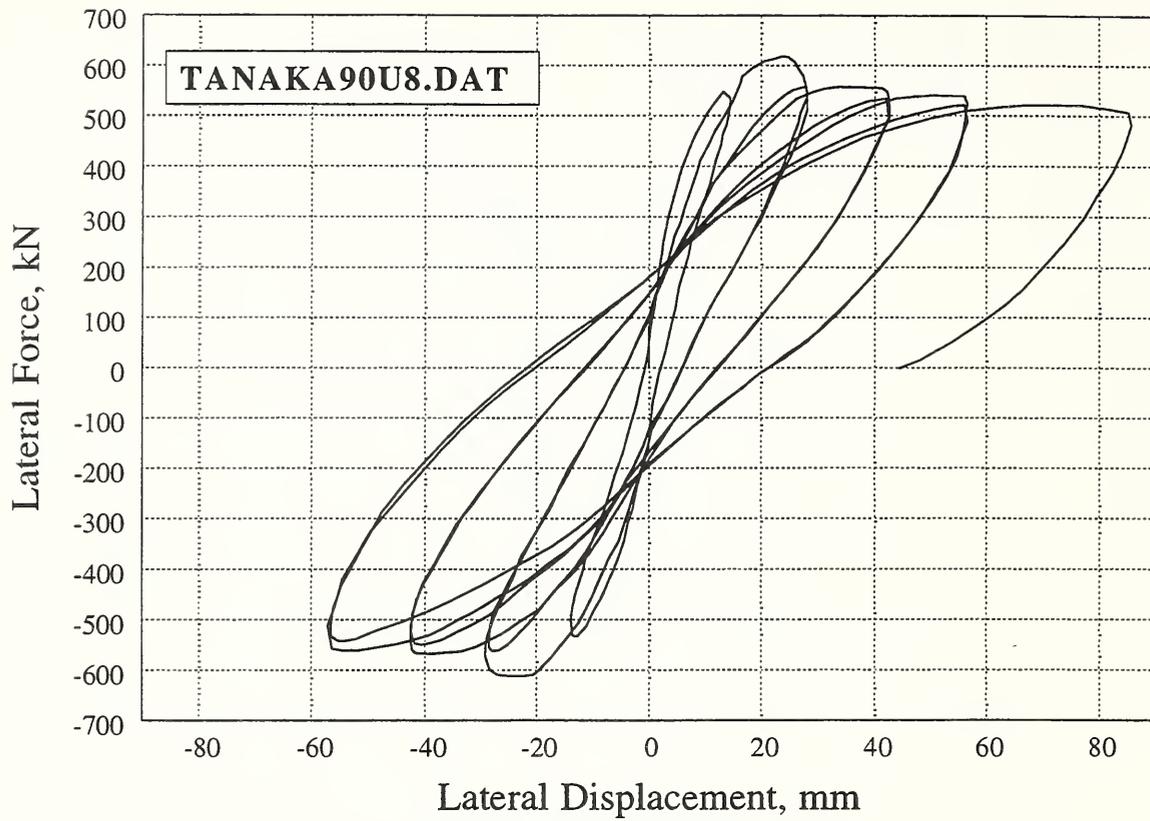


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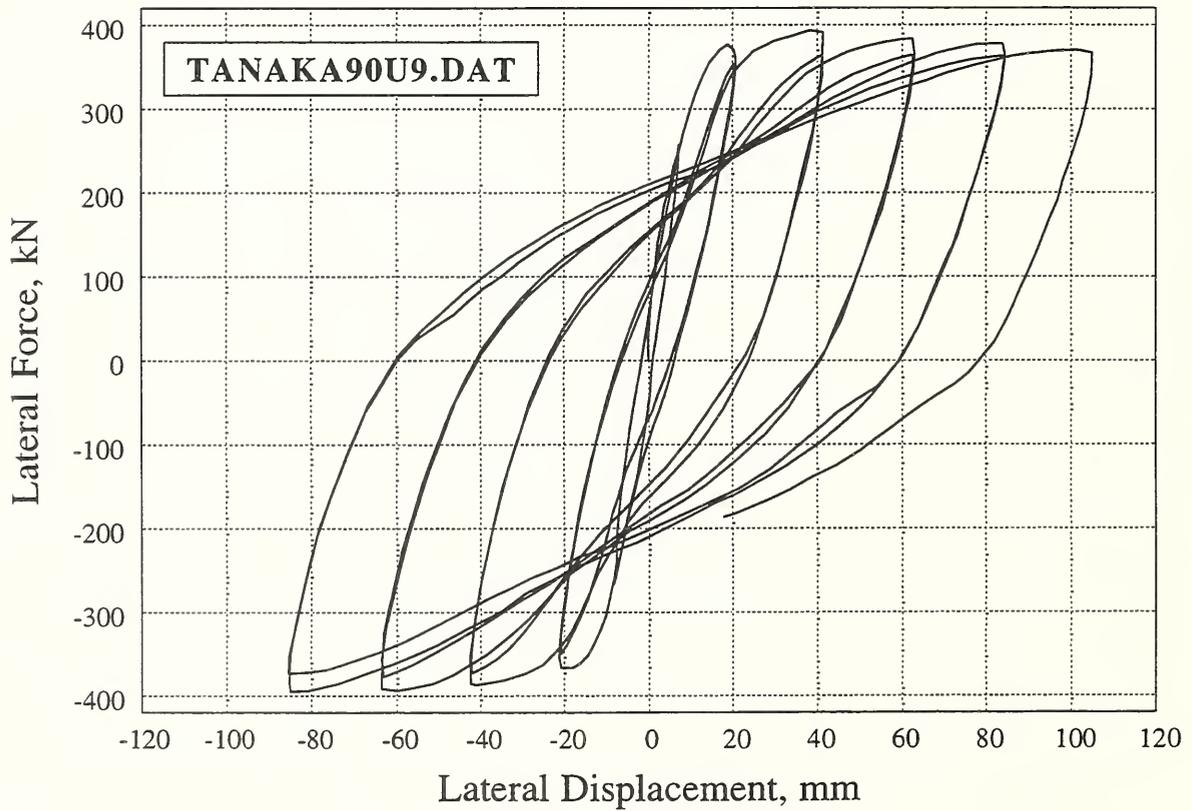


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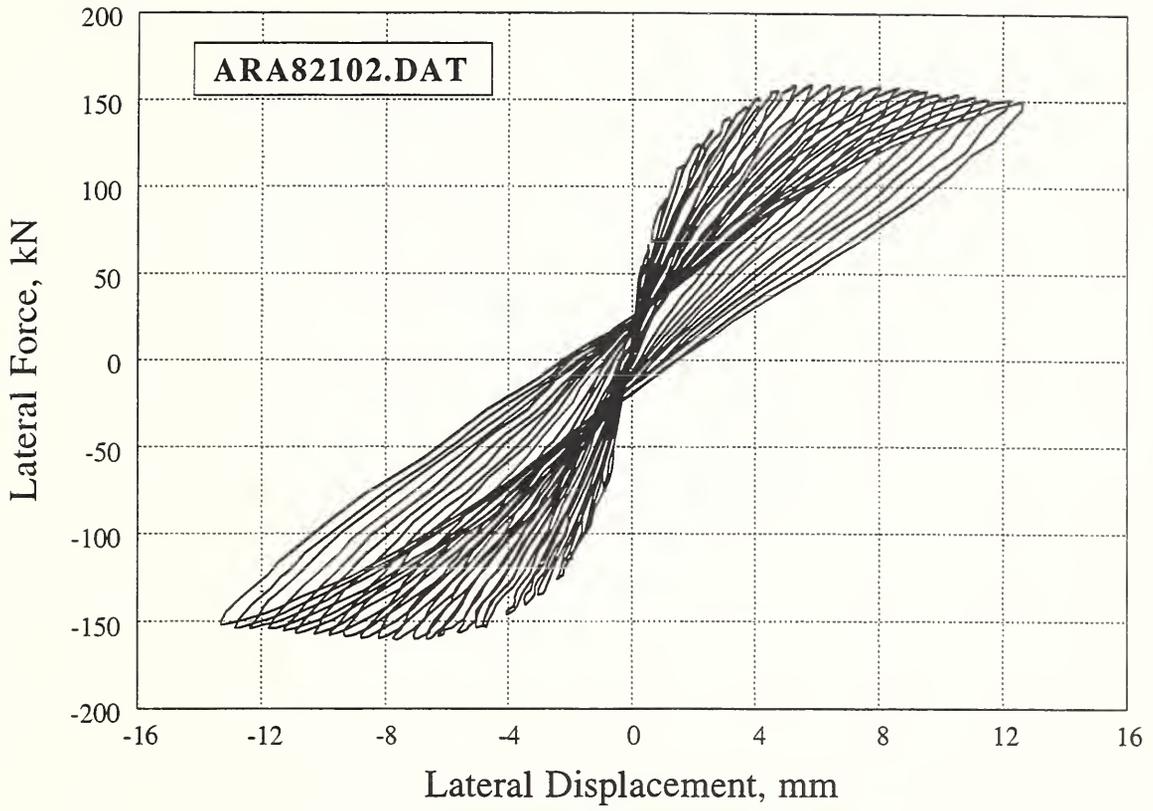


Figure 27. Specimen 102 of Arakawa 1982

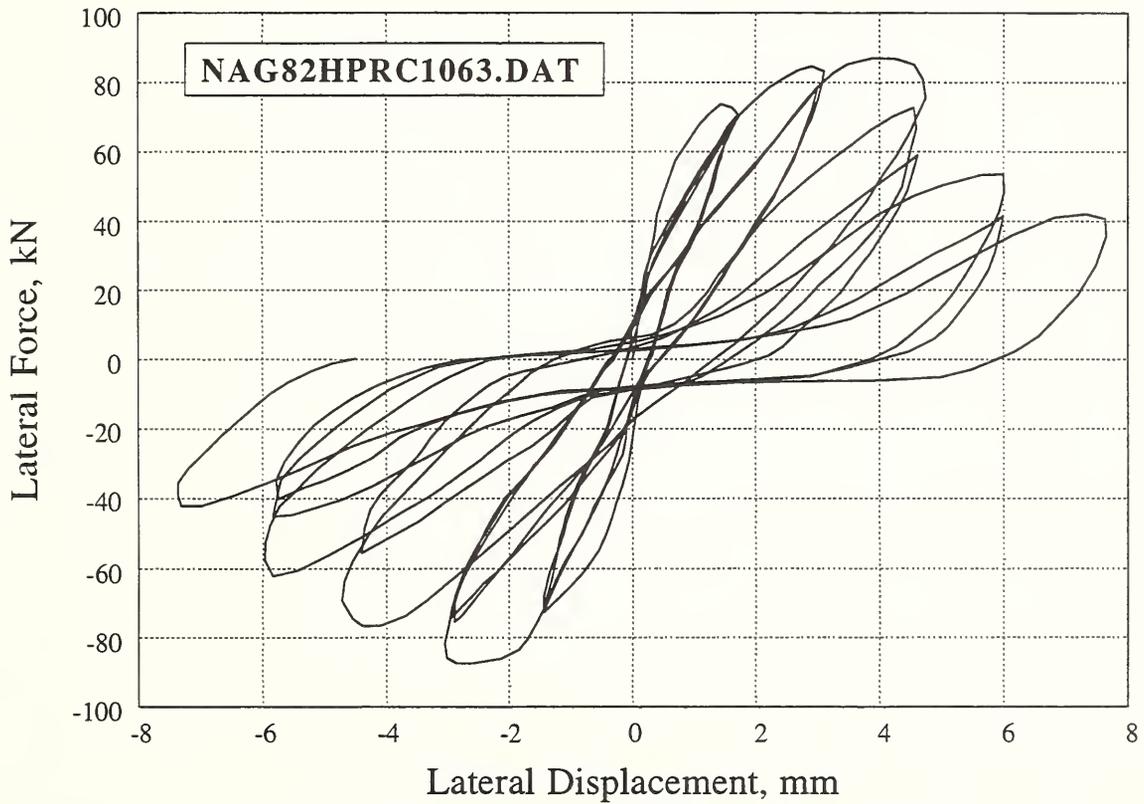


Figure 28. Specimen HPRC 10-63 of Nagasaki 1982

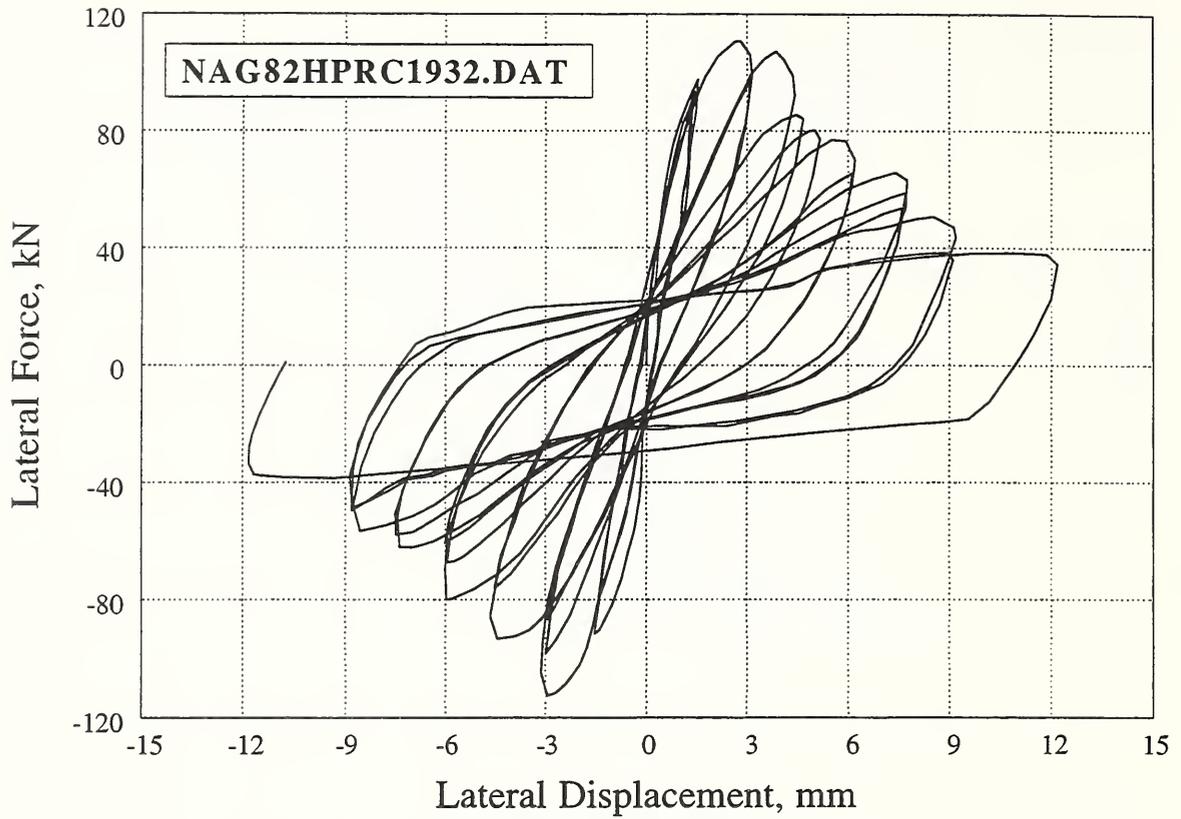


Figure 29. Specimen HPRC 19-32 of Nagasaki 1982

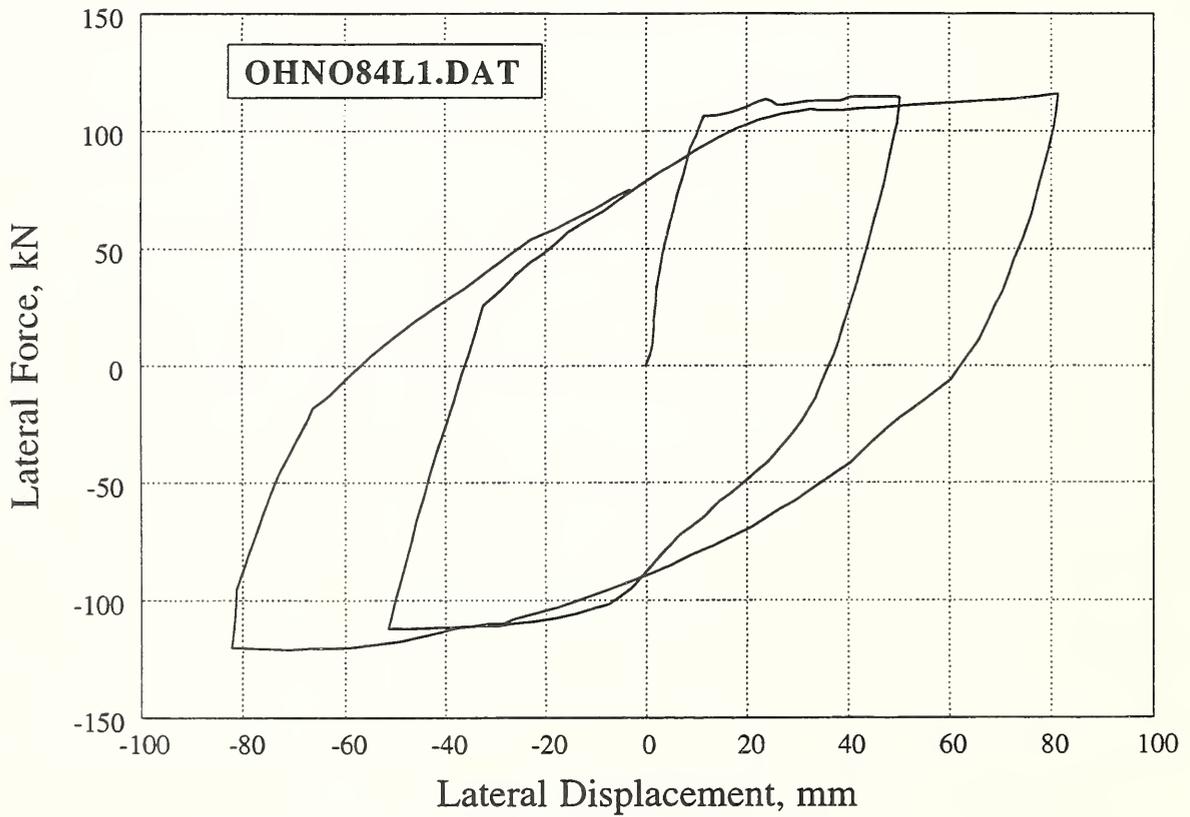


Figure 30. Specimen L1 of Ohno 1984

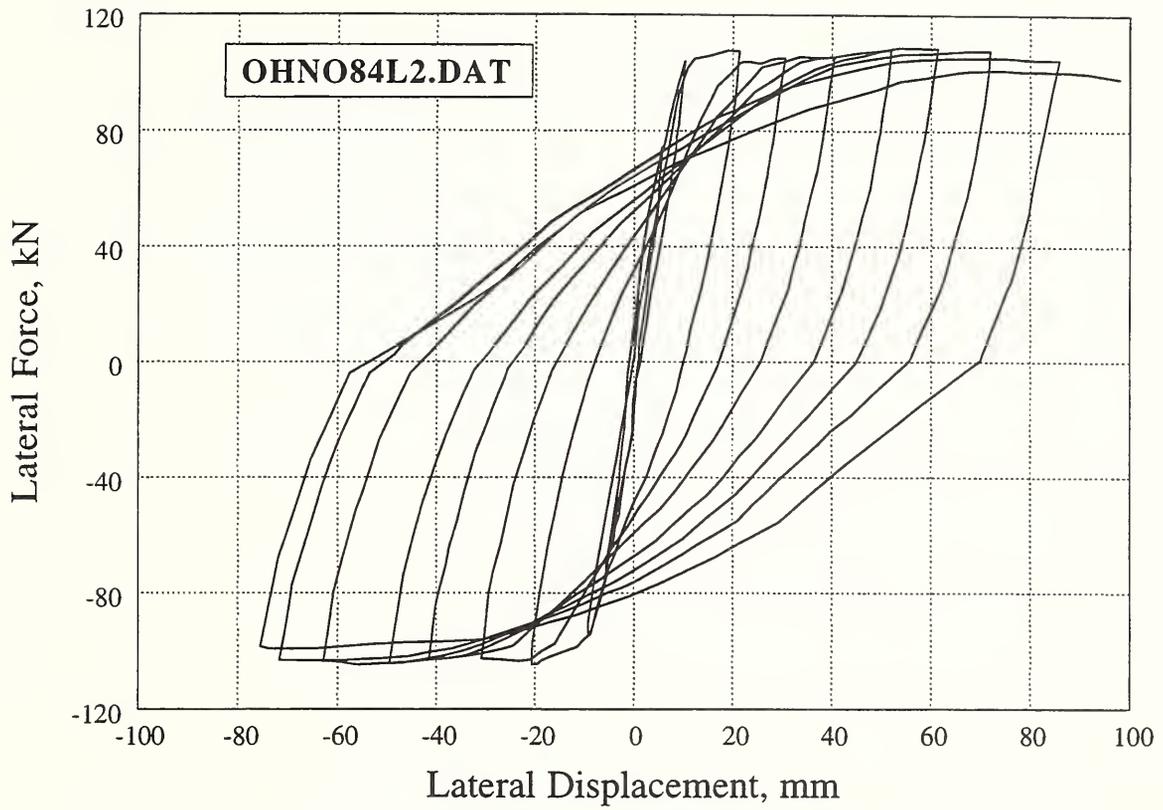


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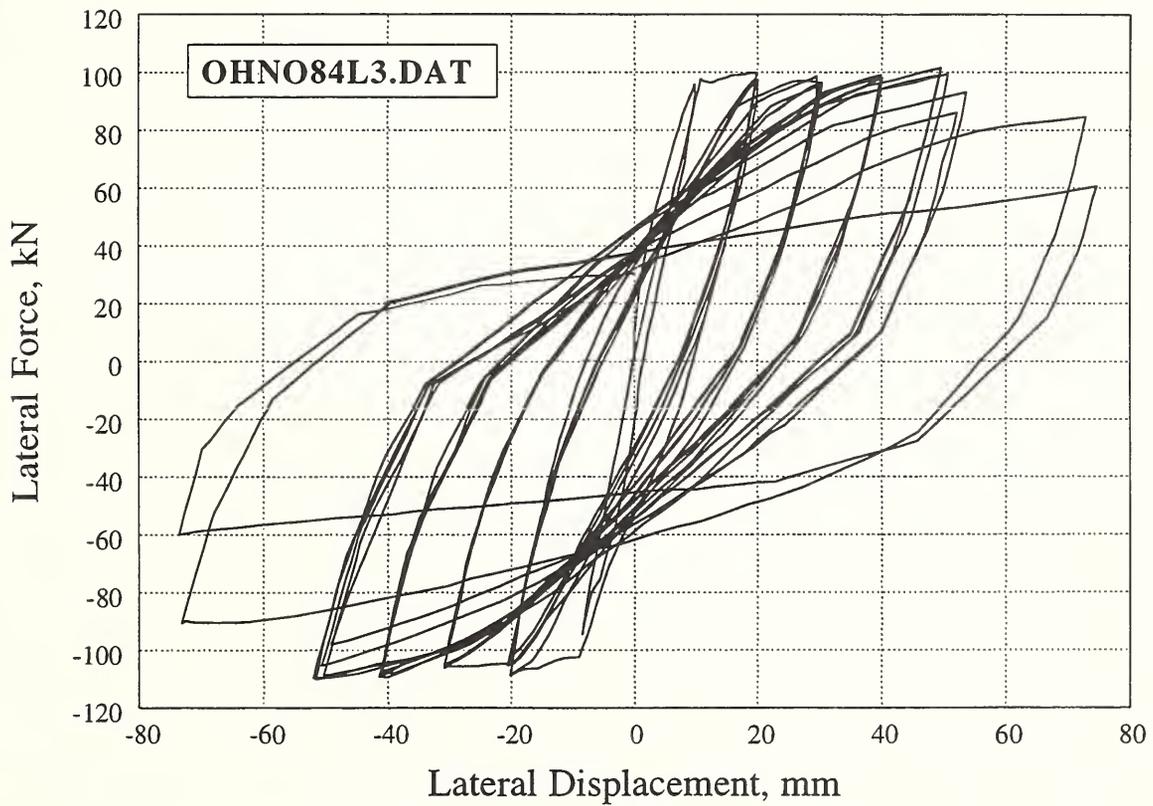


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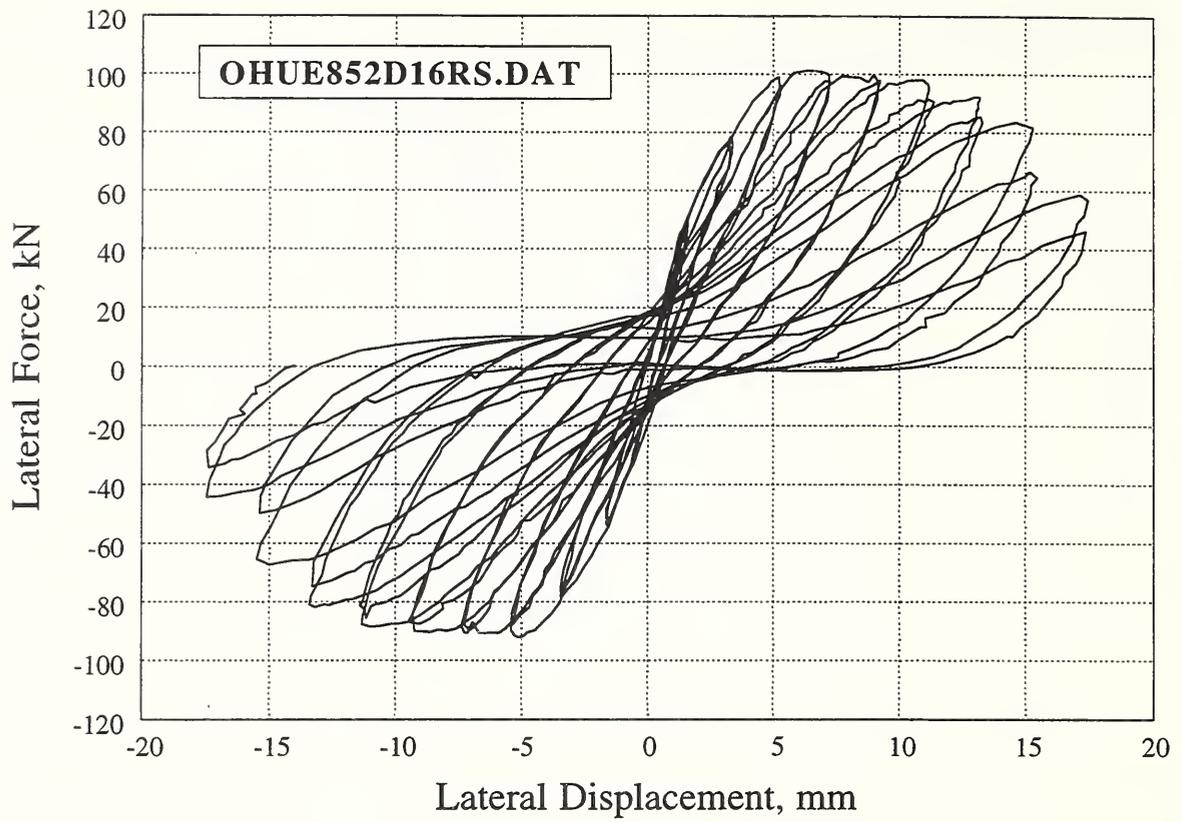


Figure 33. Specimen 2D16RS of Ohue 1985

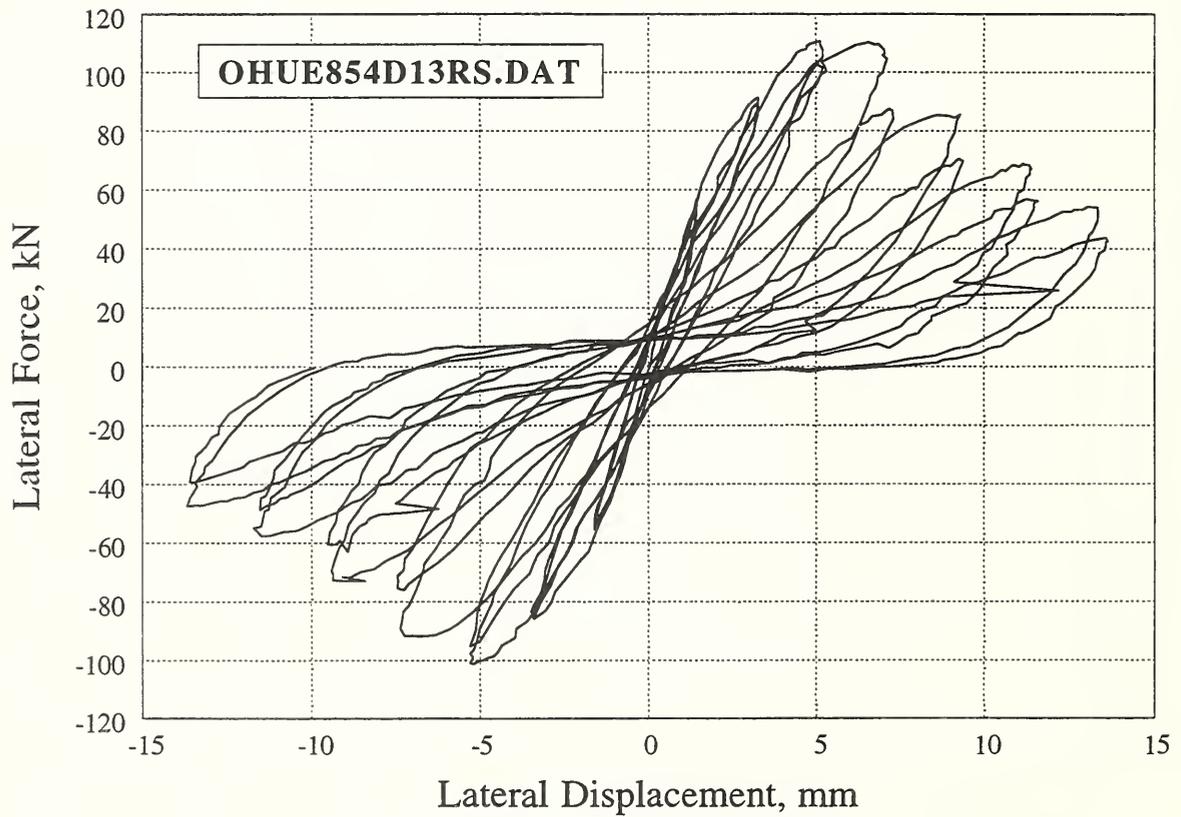


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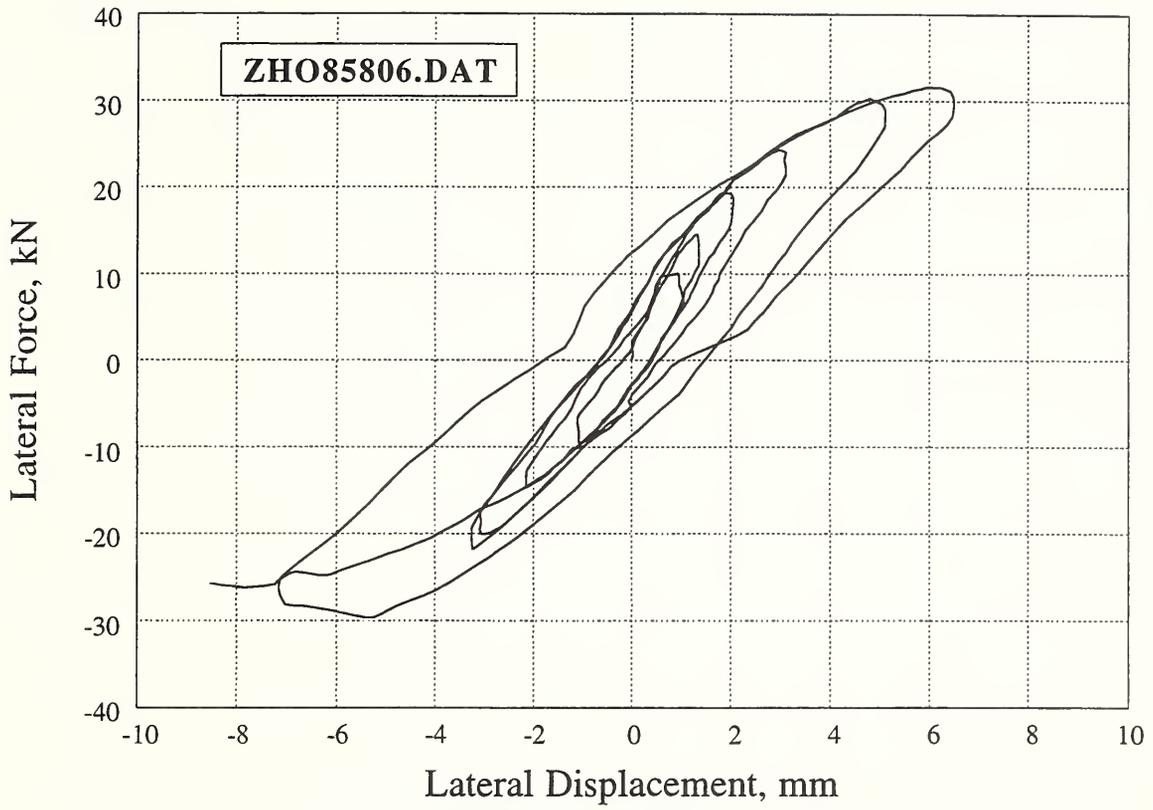


Figure 35. Specimen AZ8-06 of Zhou et al. 1985

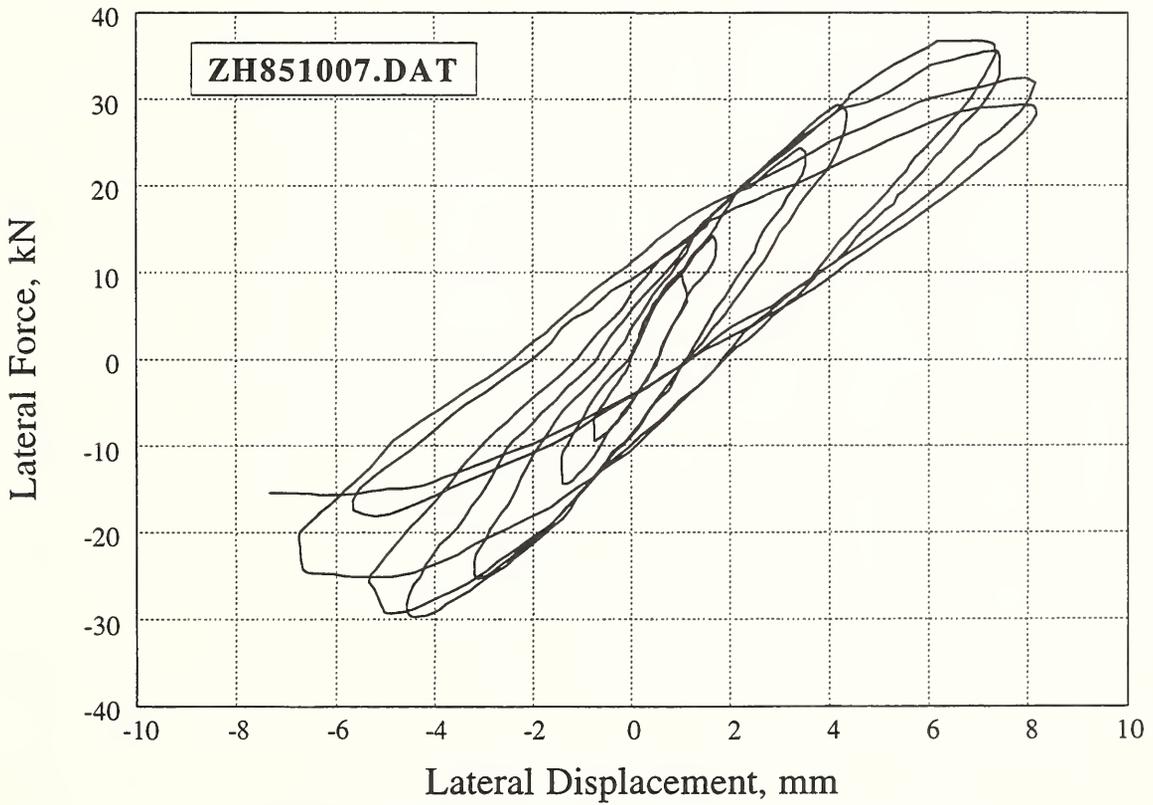


Figure 36. Specimen AZ10-07 of Zhou et al. 1985

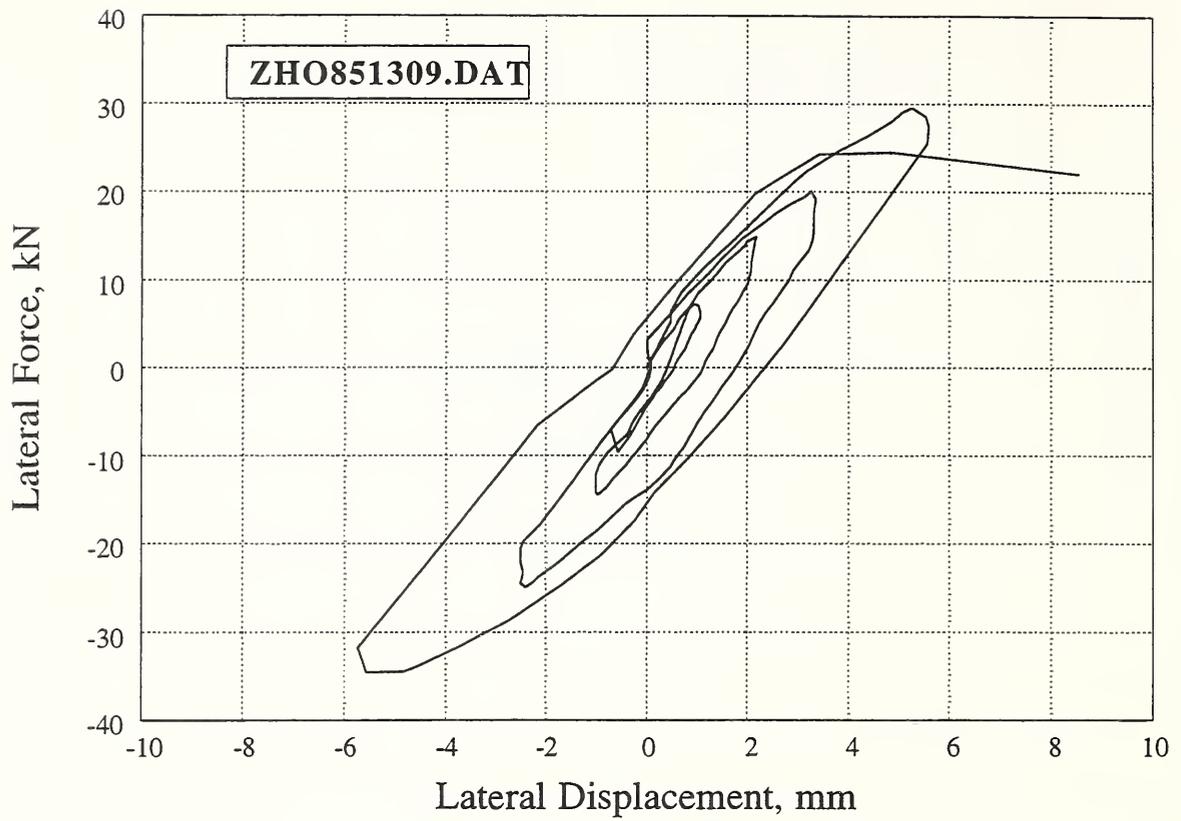


Figure 37. Specimen AZ13-09 of Zhou et al. 1985

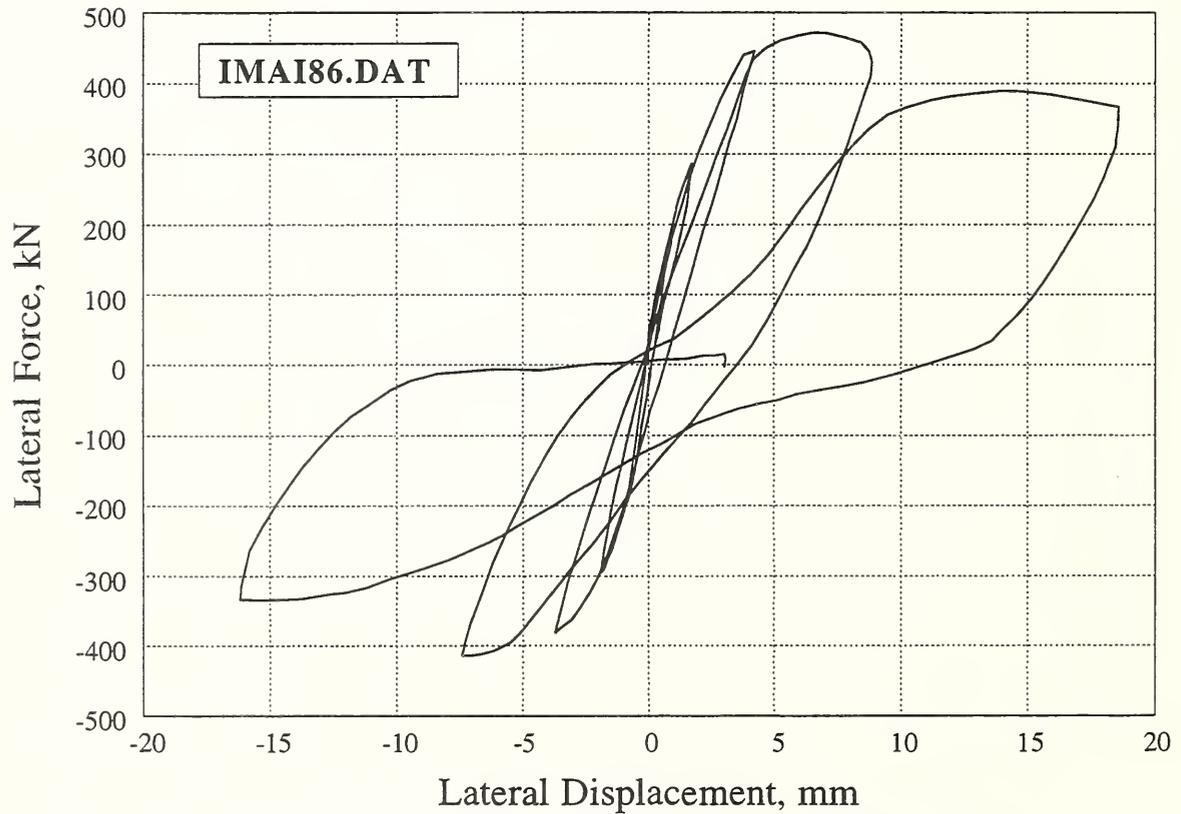


Figure 38. Specimen 1 of Imai and Yamamoto 1986

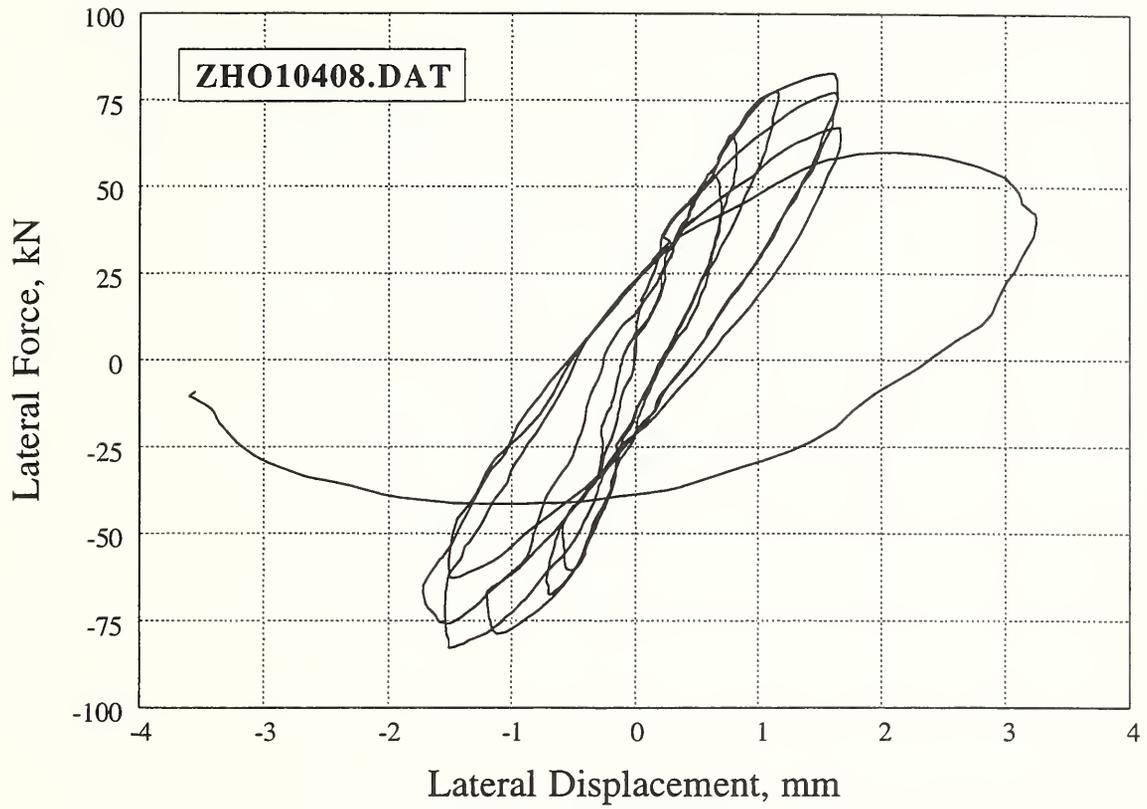


Figure 39. Specimen 104-08 of Zhou et al. 1987

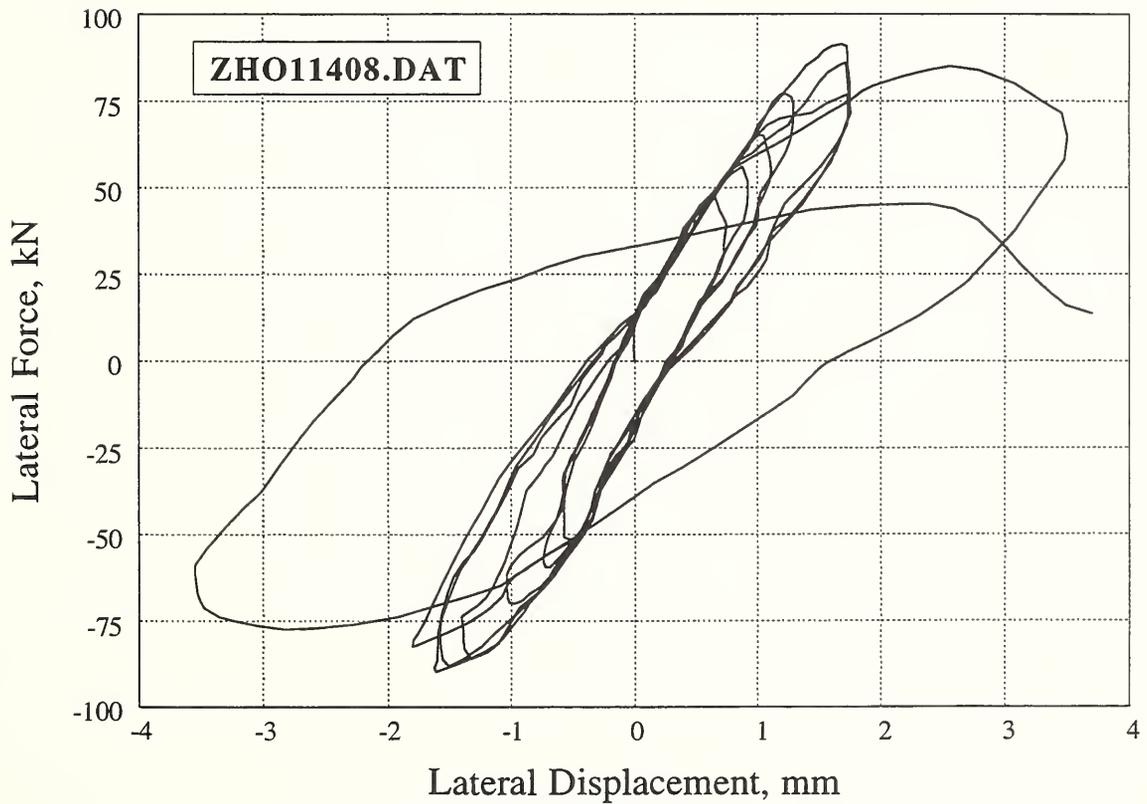


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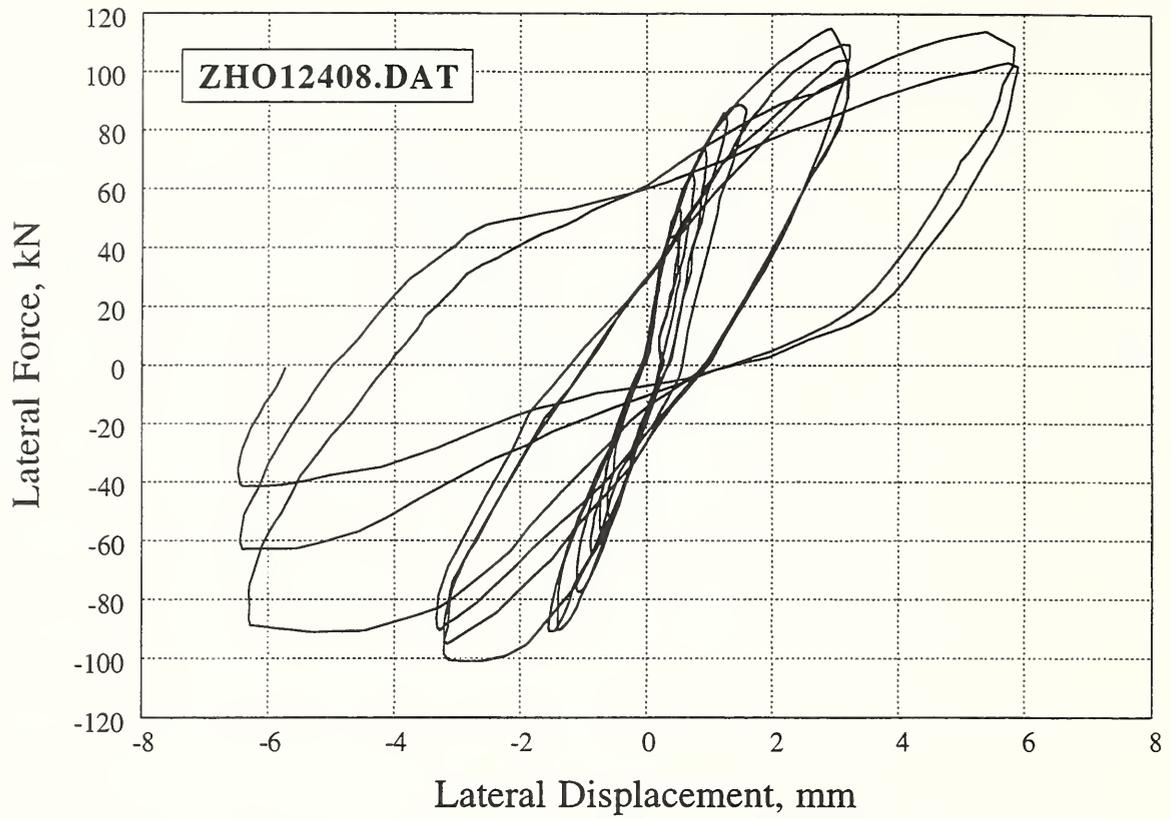


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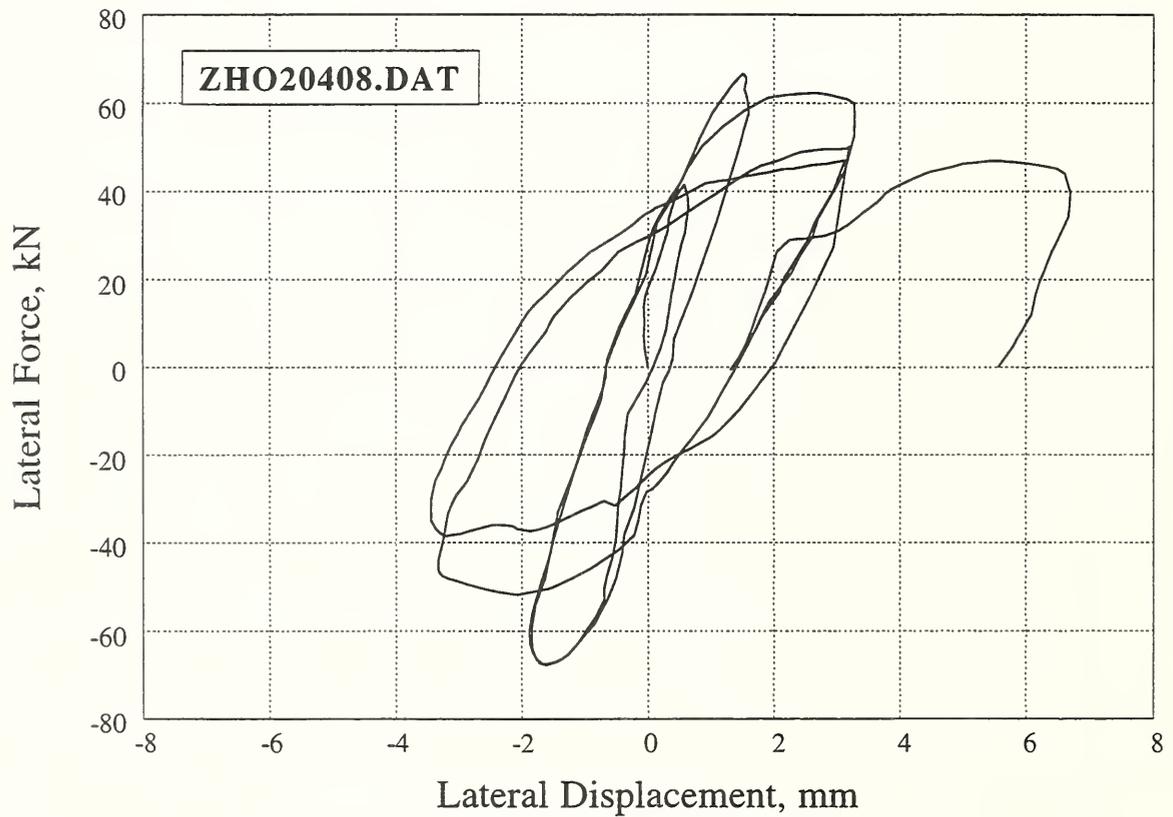


Figure 42. Specimen 204-08 of Zhou et al. 1987

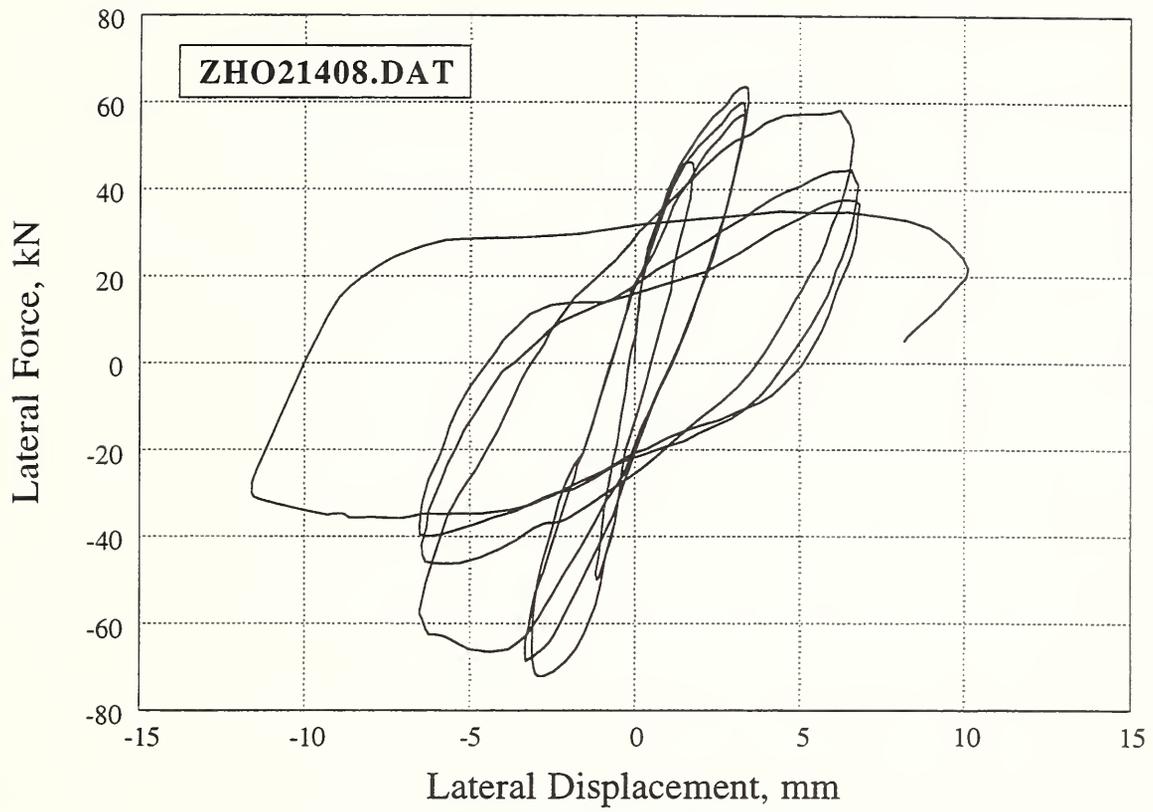


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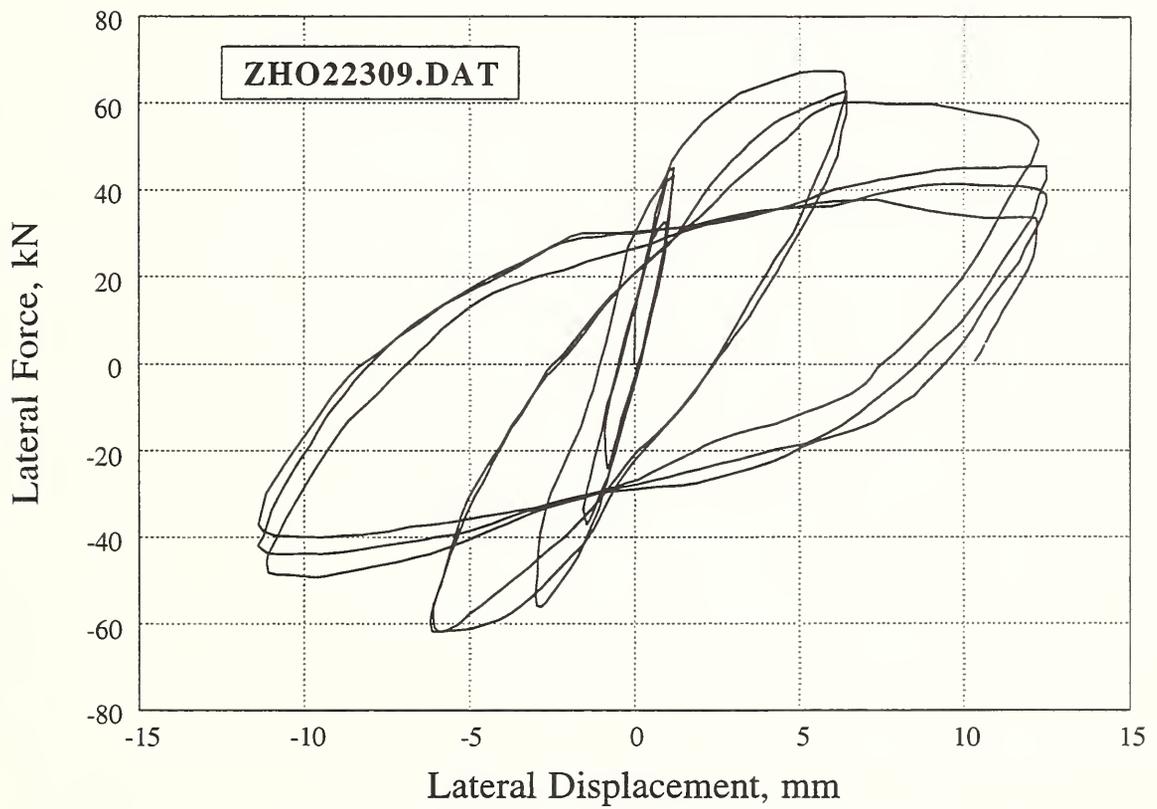


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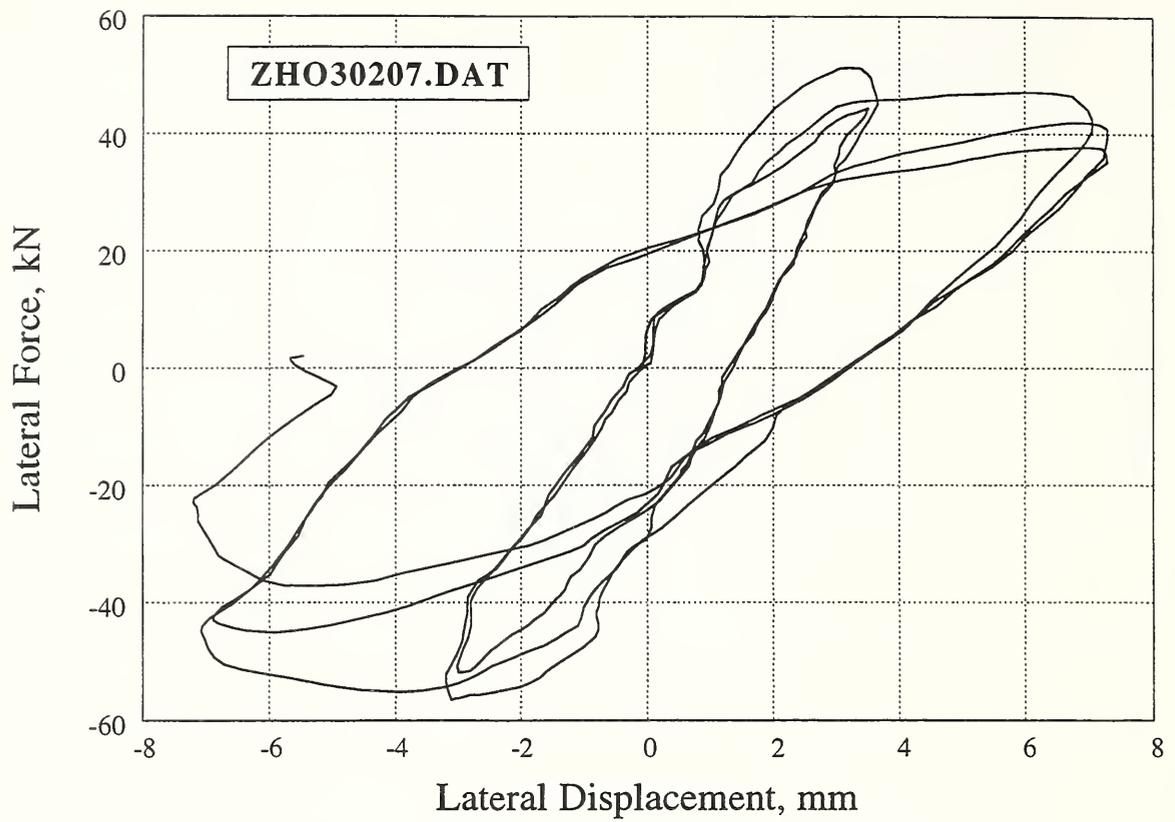


Figure 45. Specimen 302-07 of Zhou et al. 1987

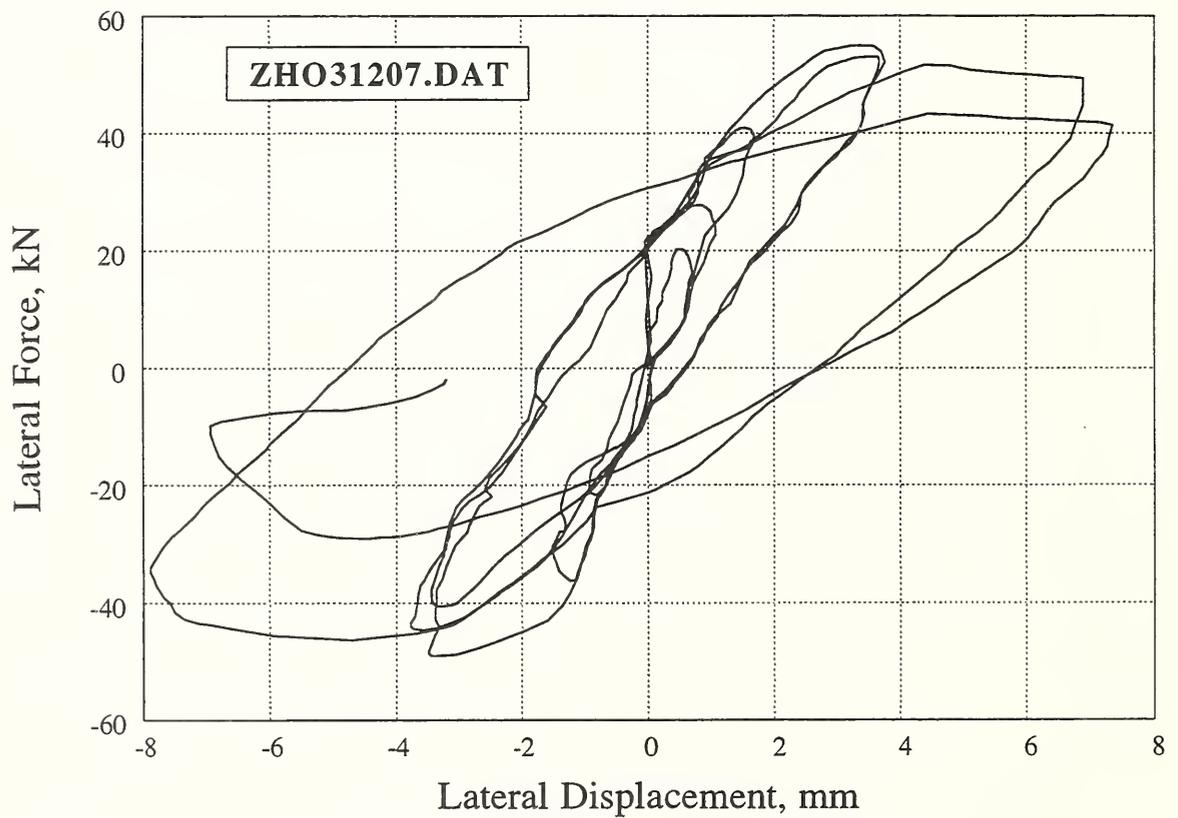


Figure 46. Specimen 312-07 of Zhou et al. 1987

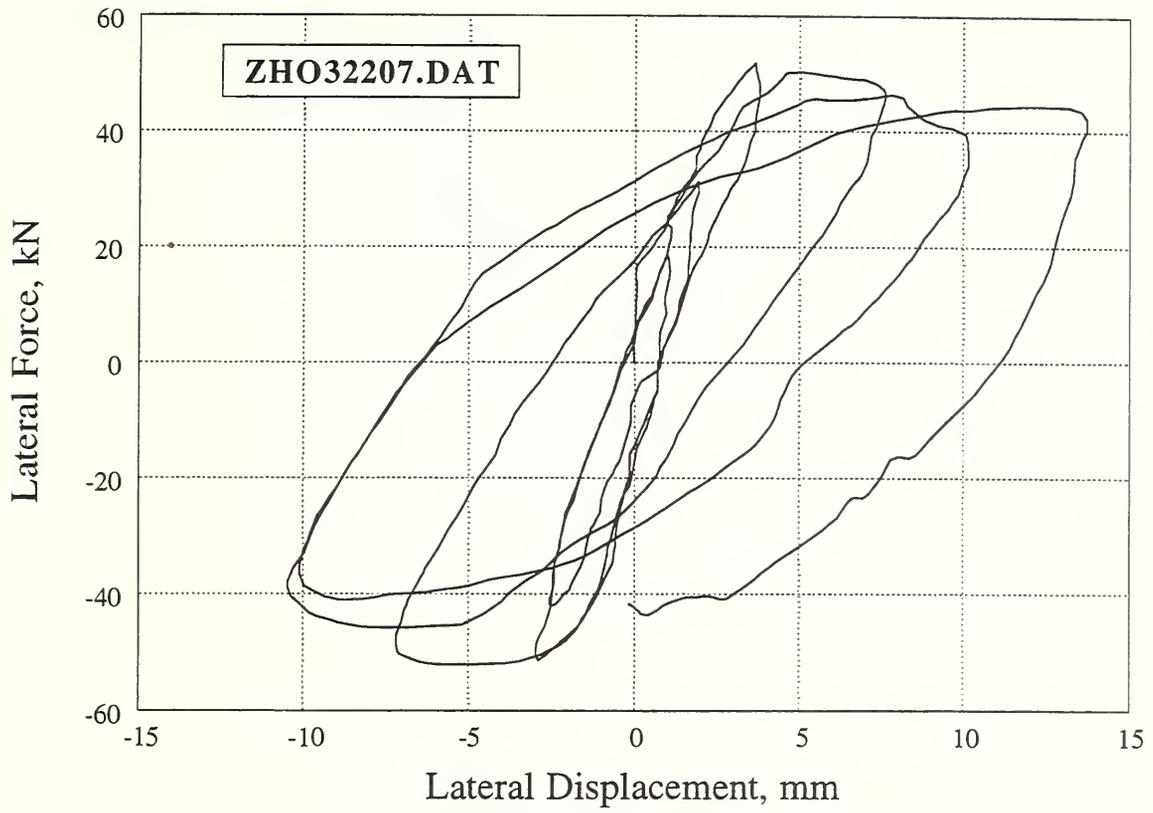


Figure 47. Specimen 322-07 of Zhou et al. 1987

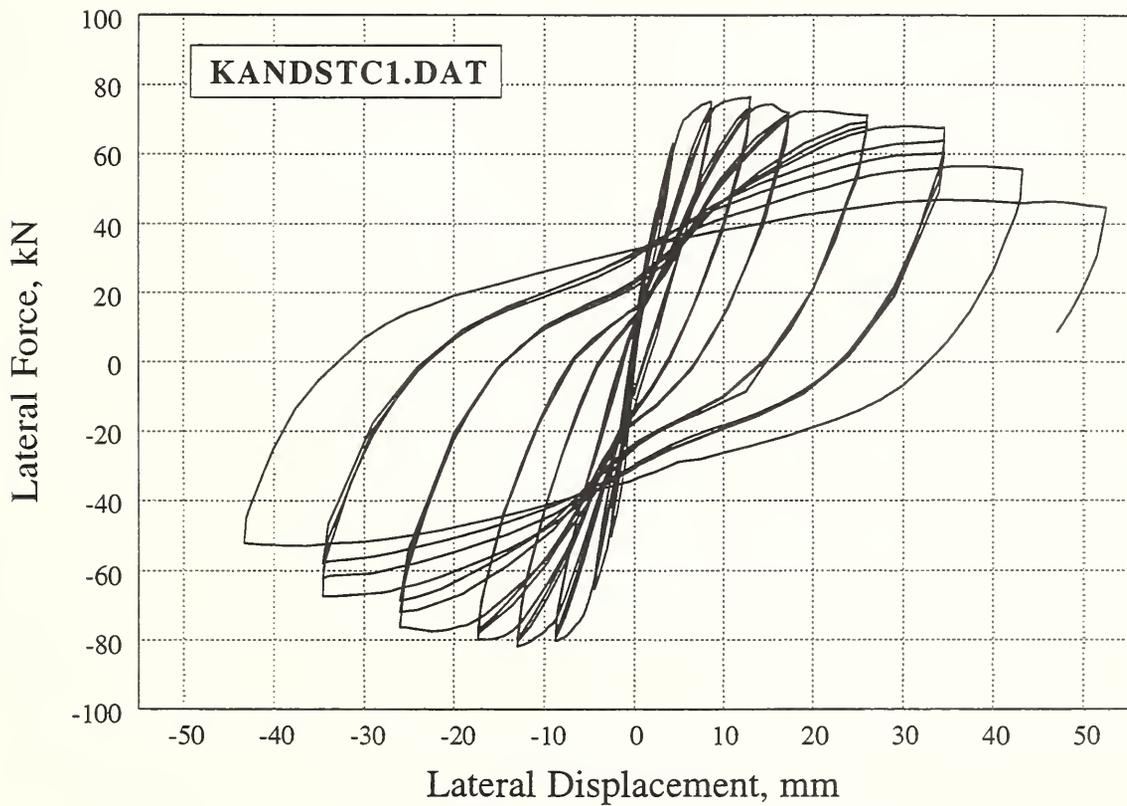


Figure 48. Specimen STC1 of Kanda et al. 1988

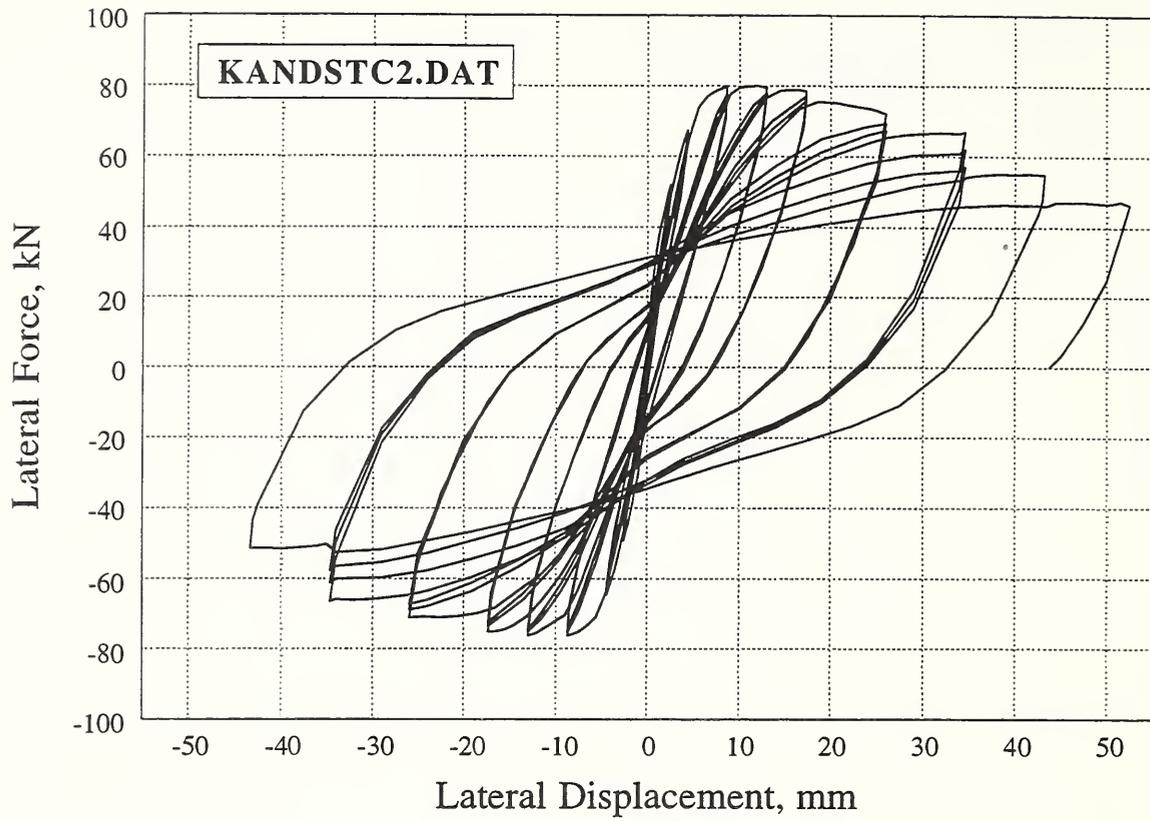


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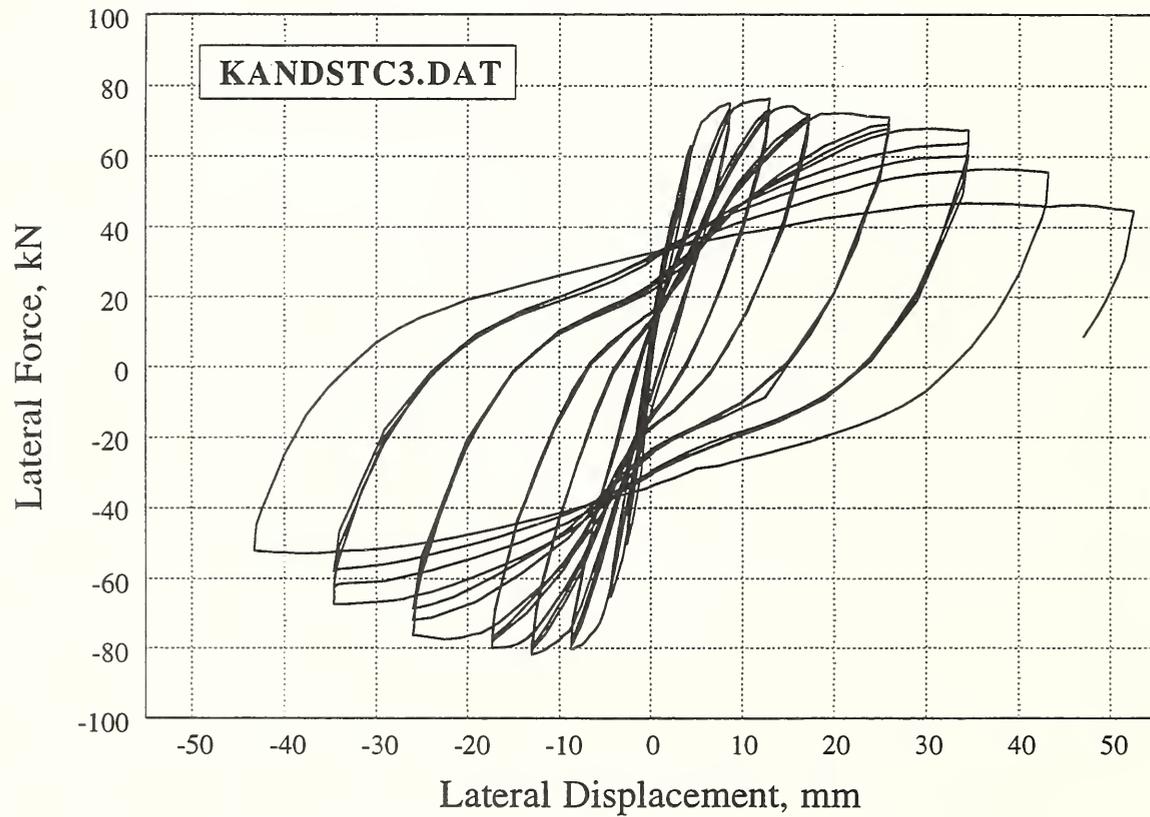


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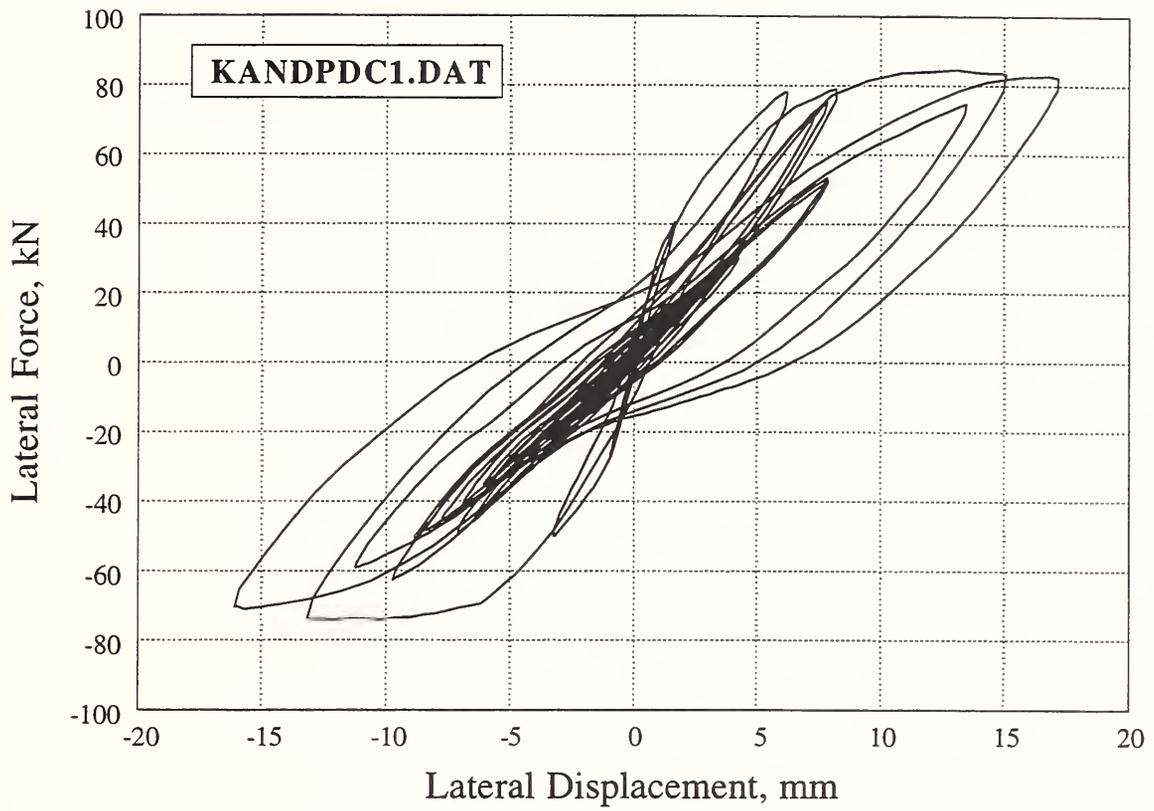


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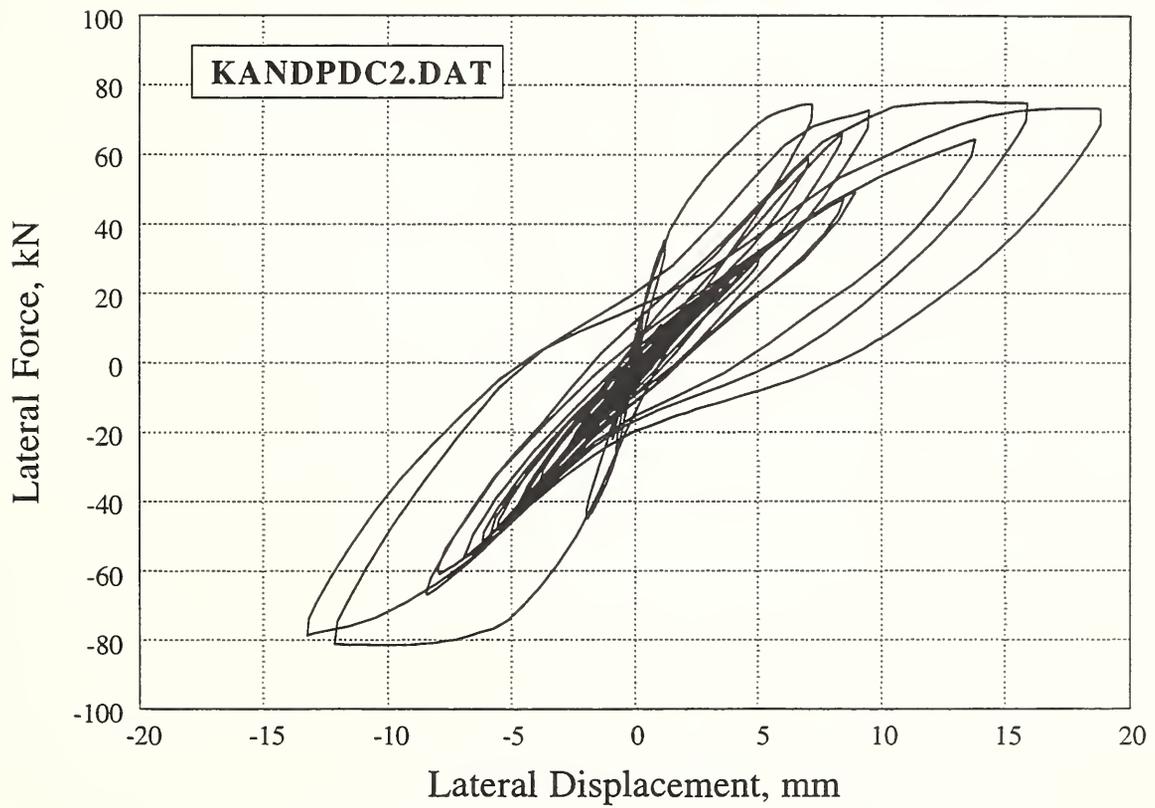


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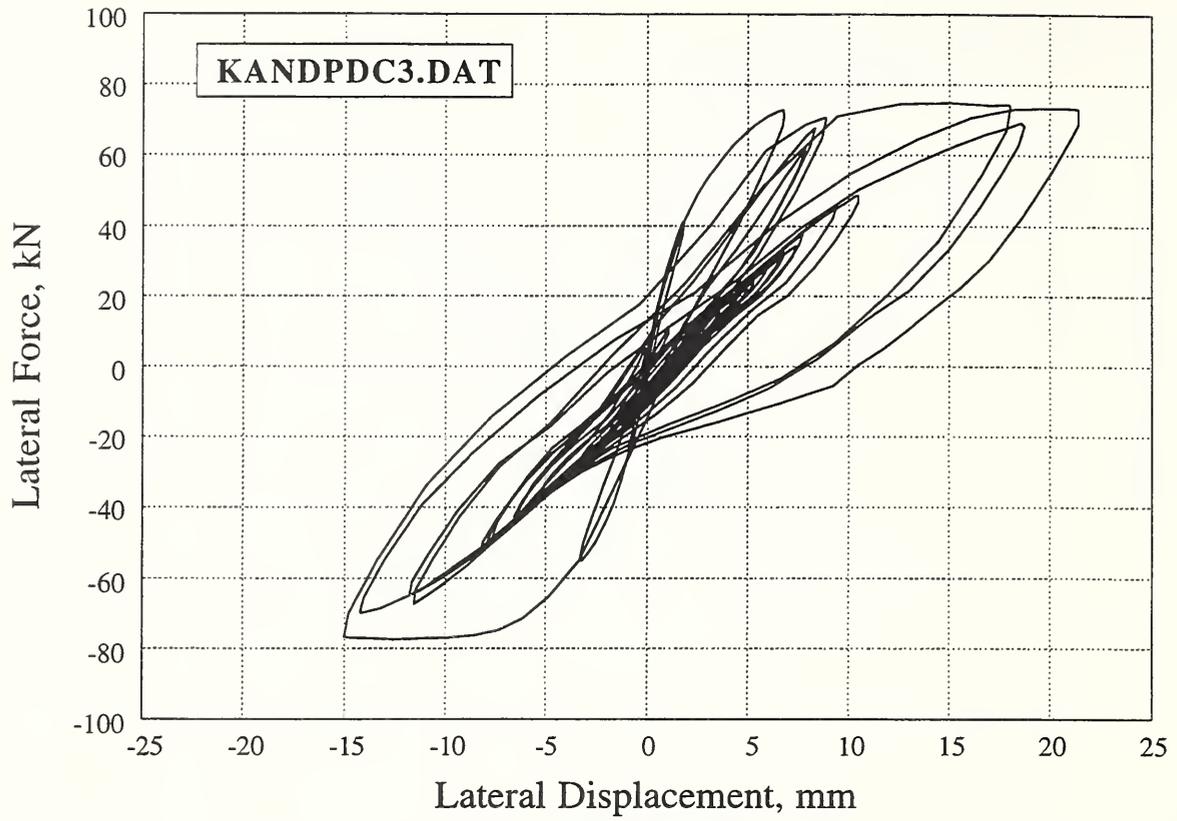


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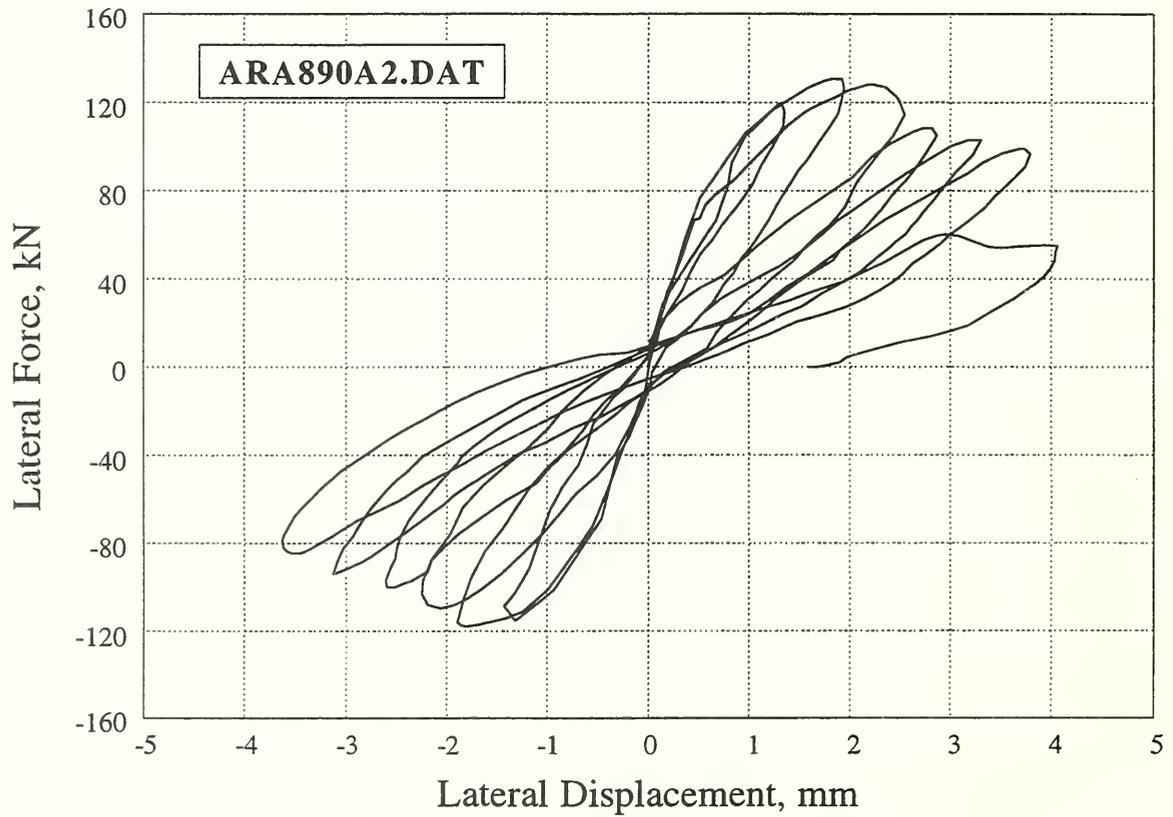


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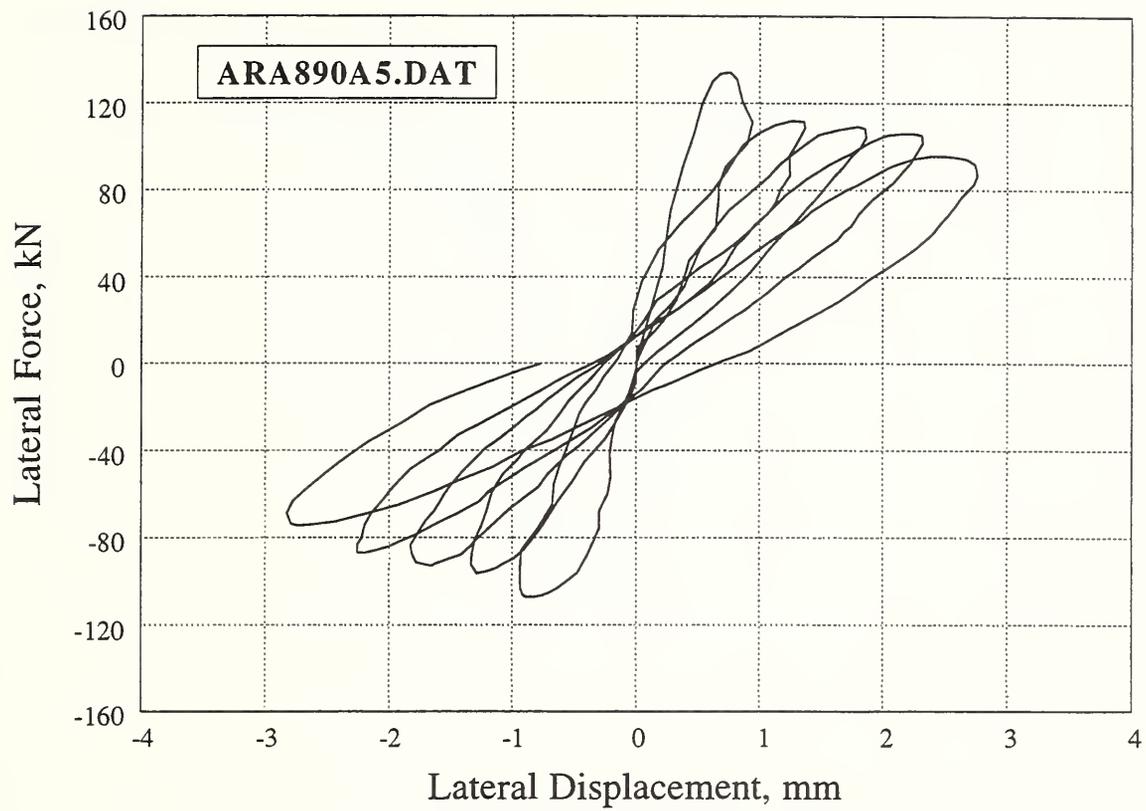


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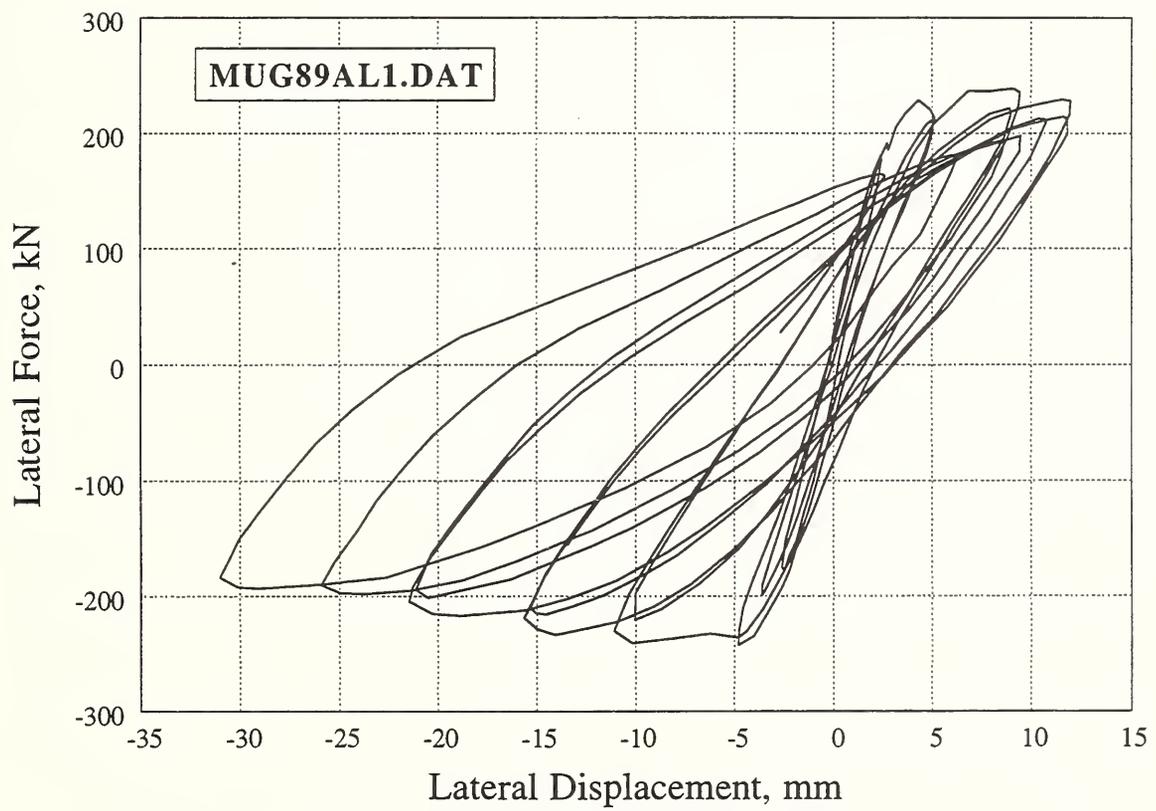


Figure 56. Specimen AL-1 of Muguruma 1989

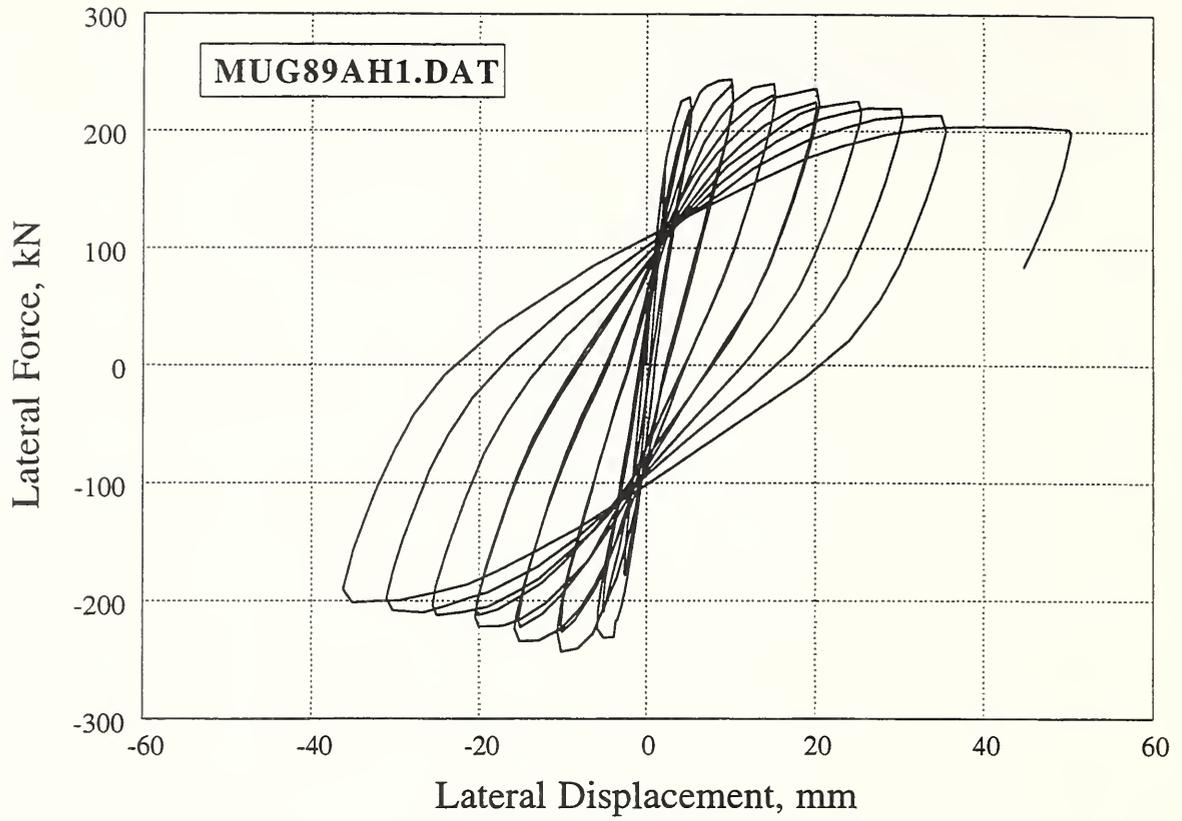


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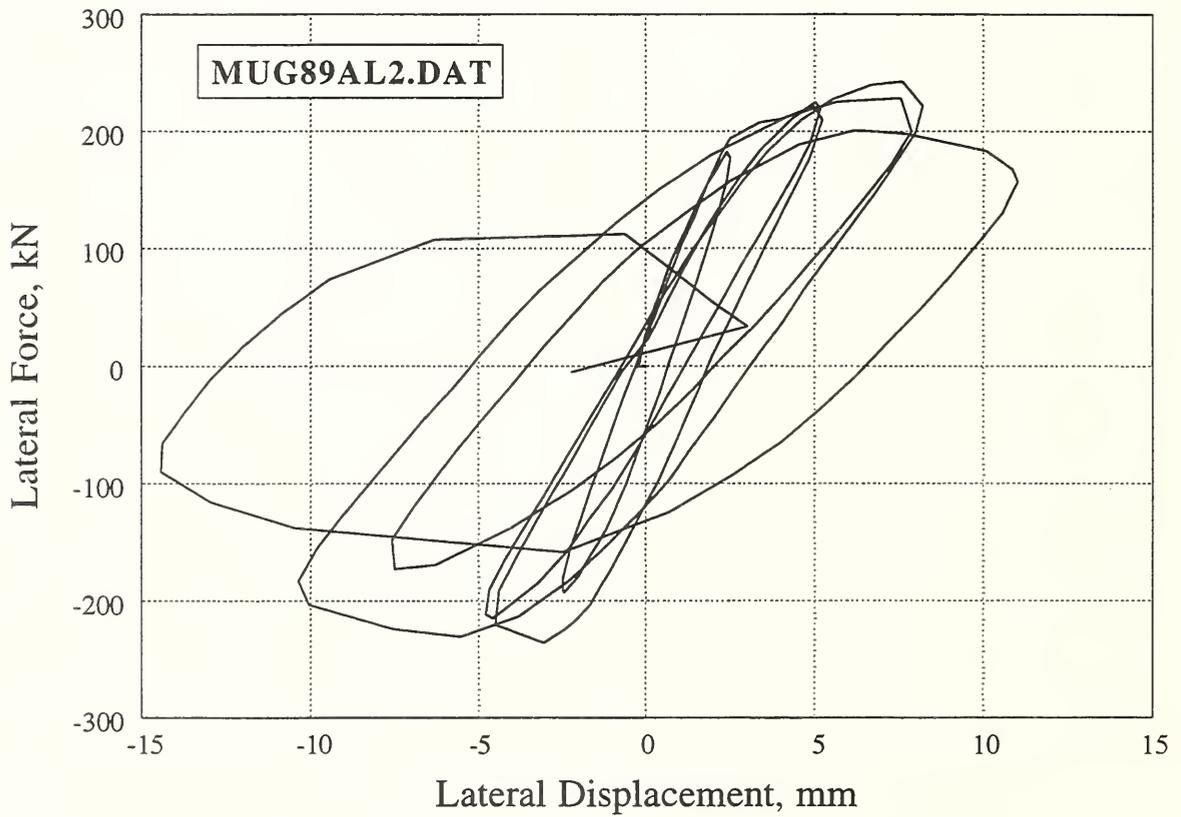


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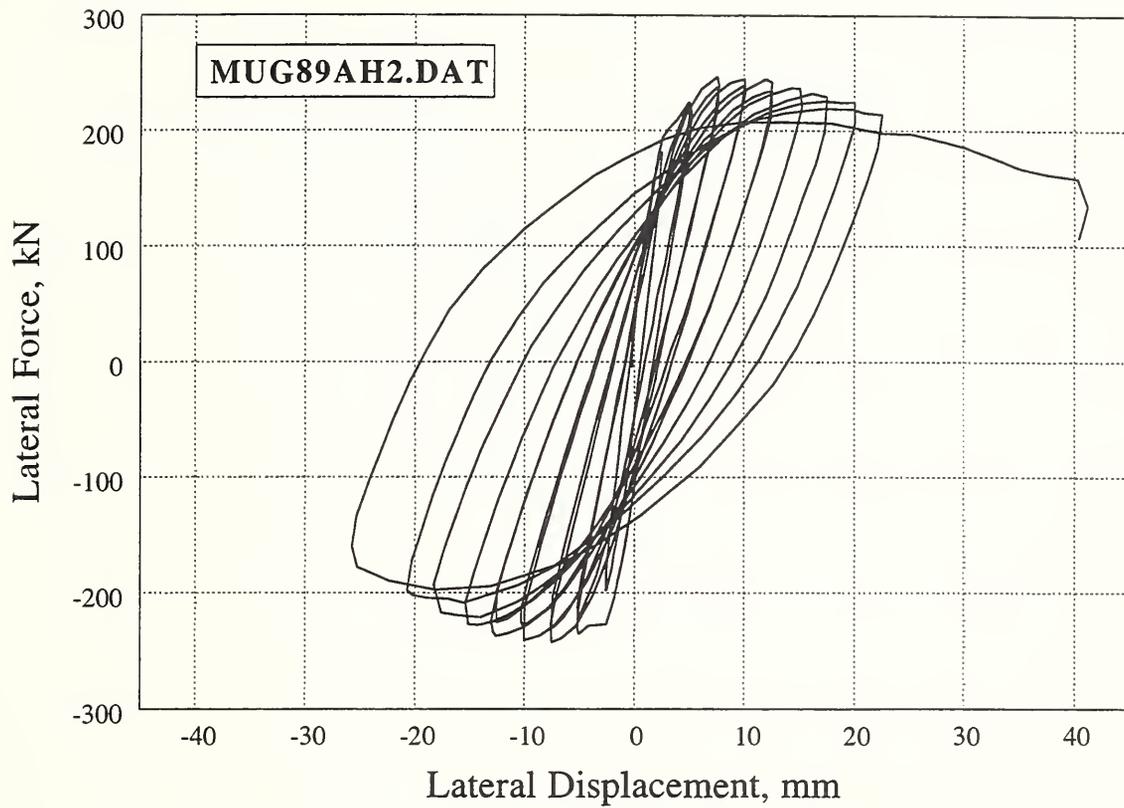


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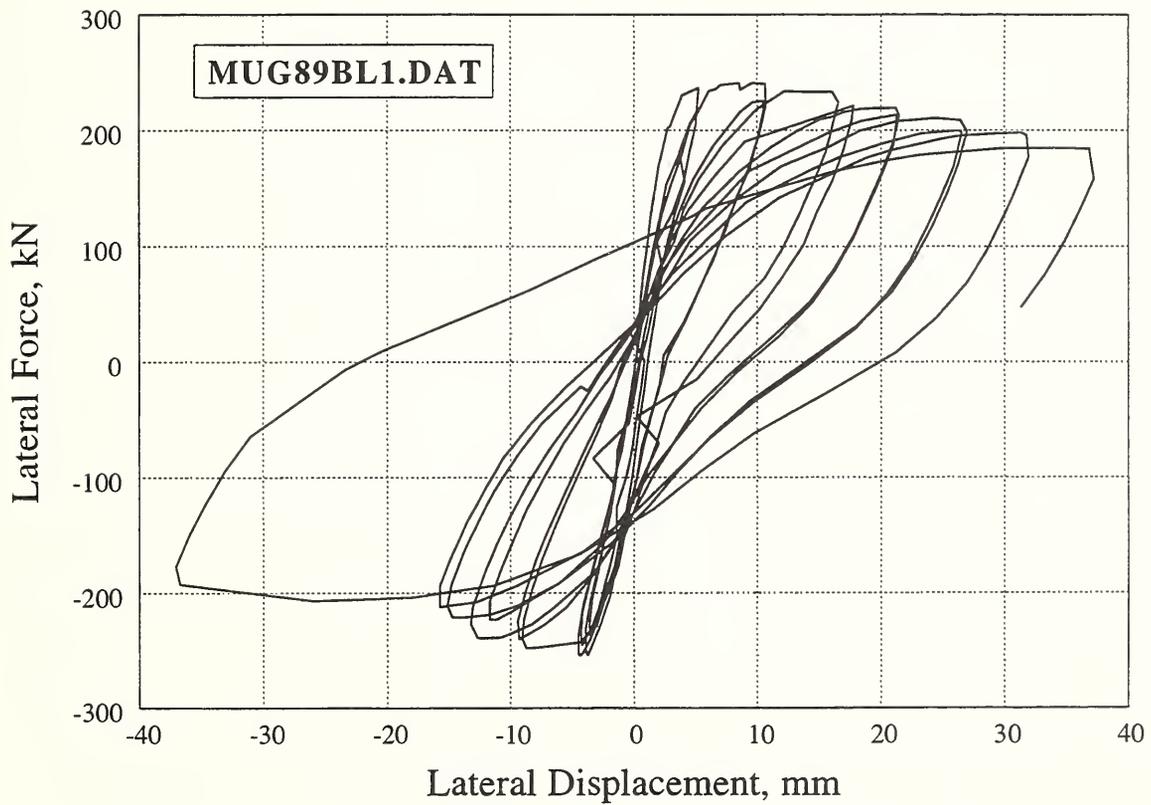


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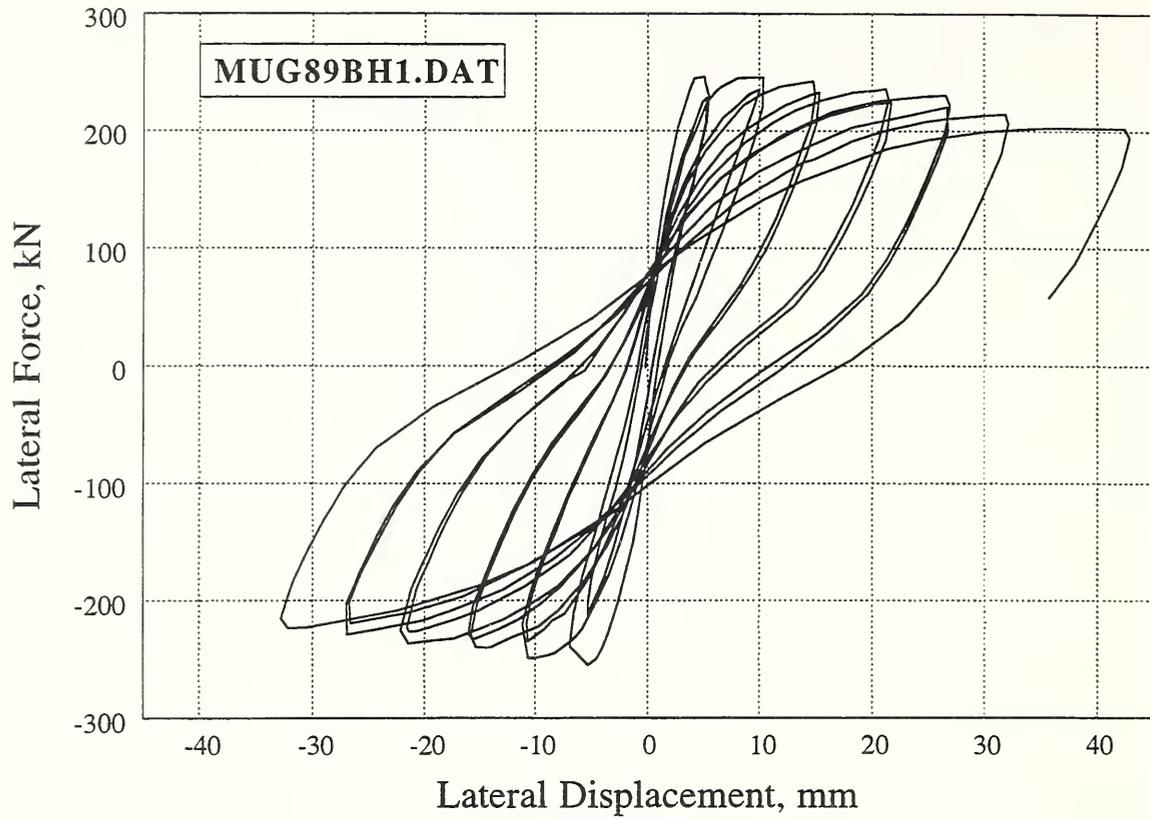


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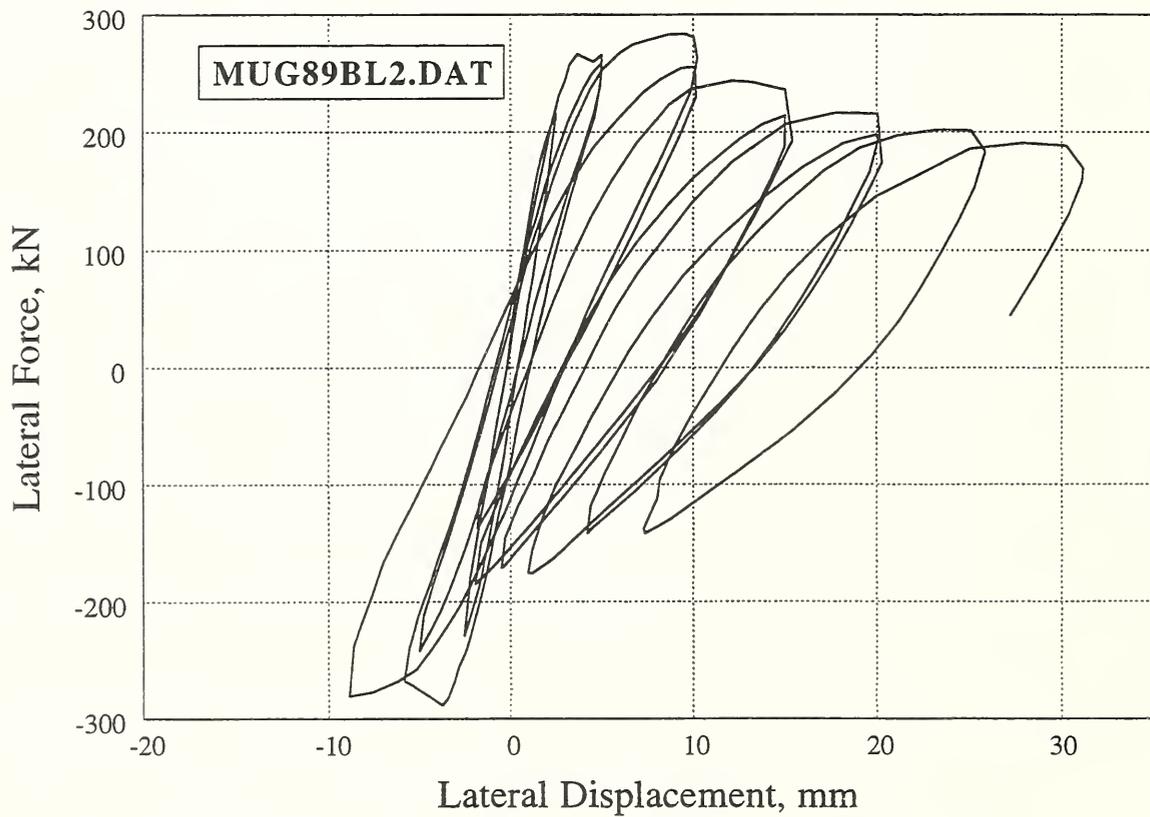


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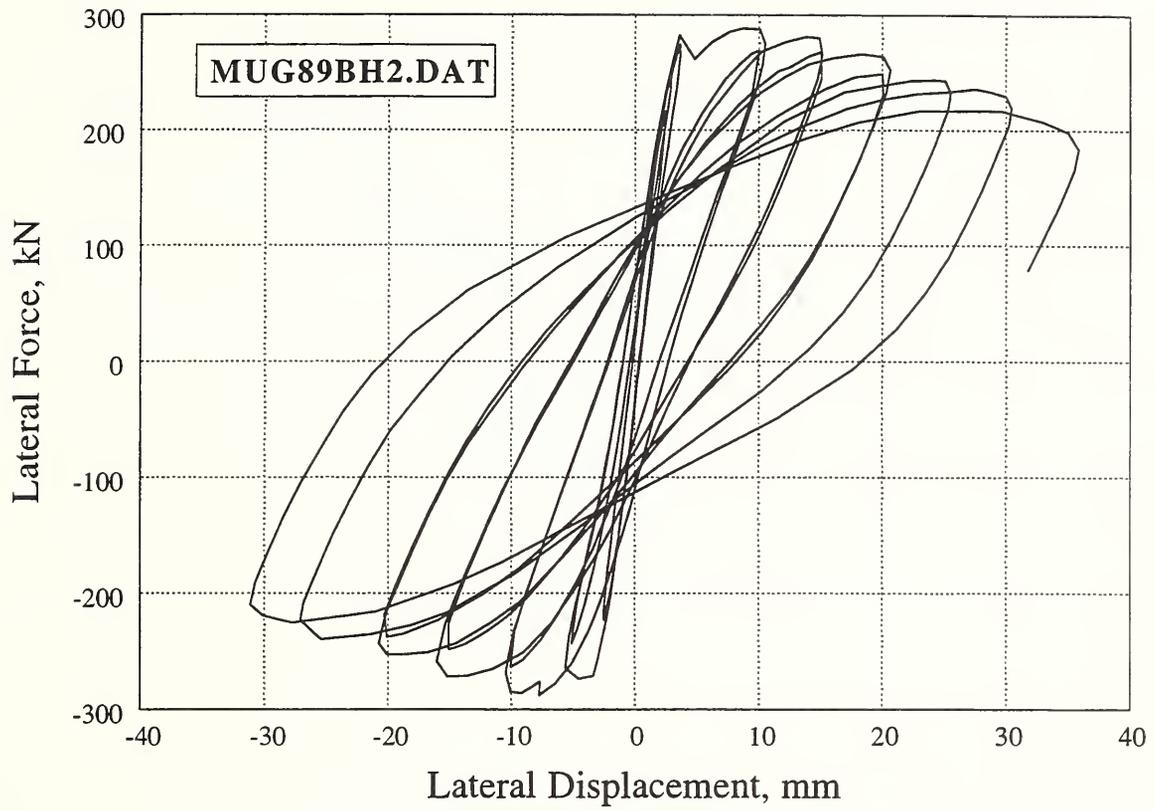


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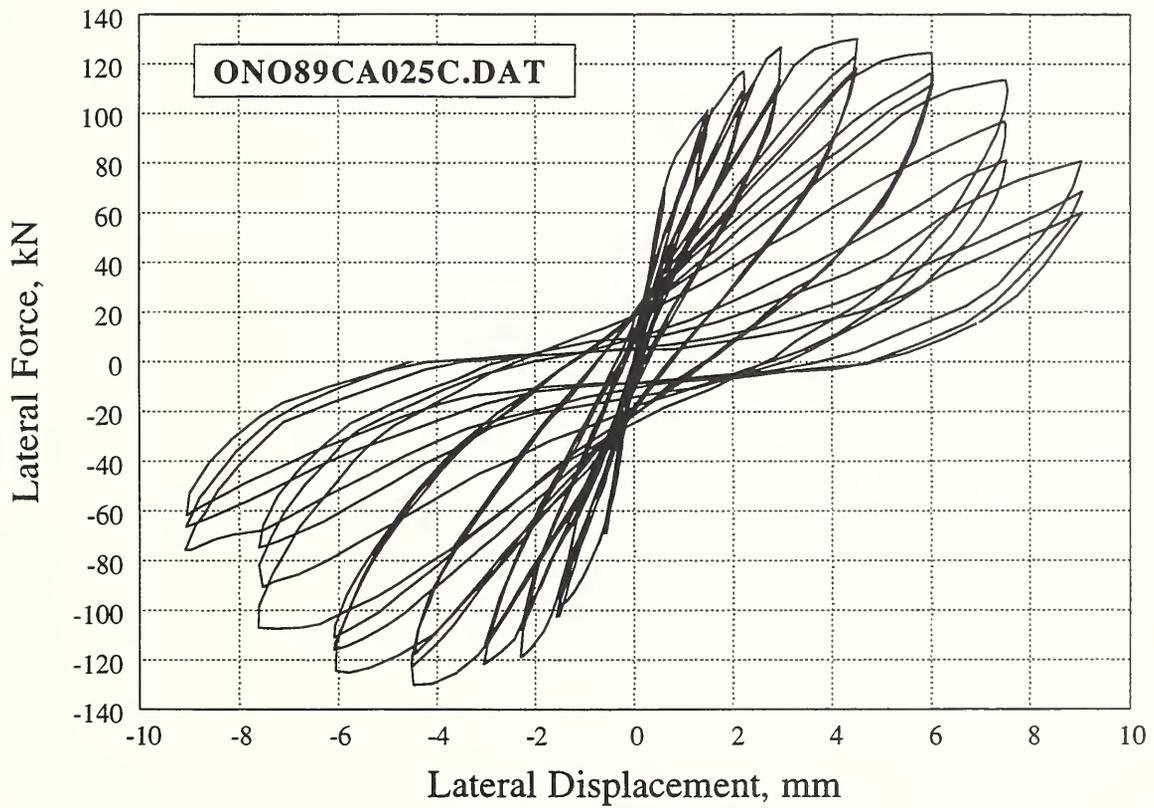


Figure 64. Specimen CA025C of Ono 1989

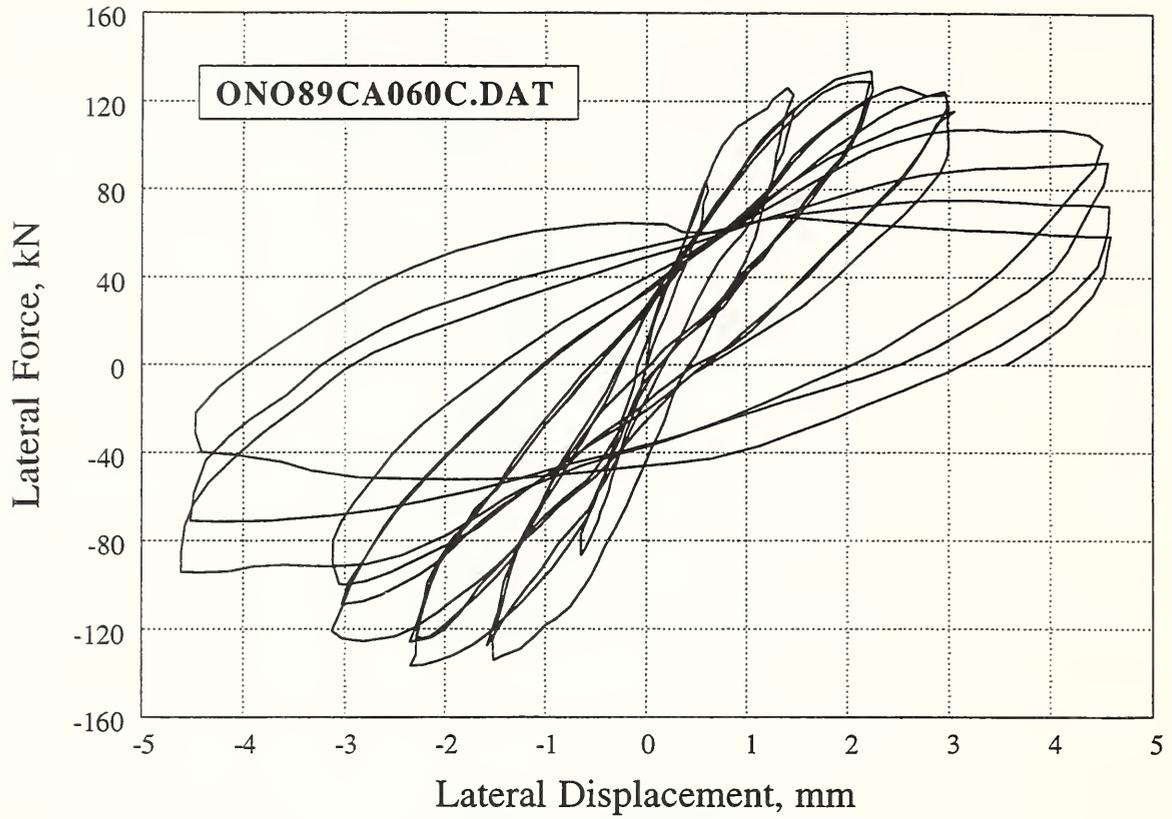


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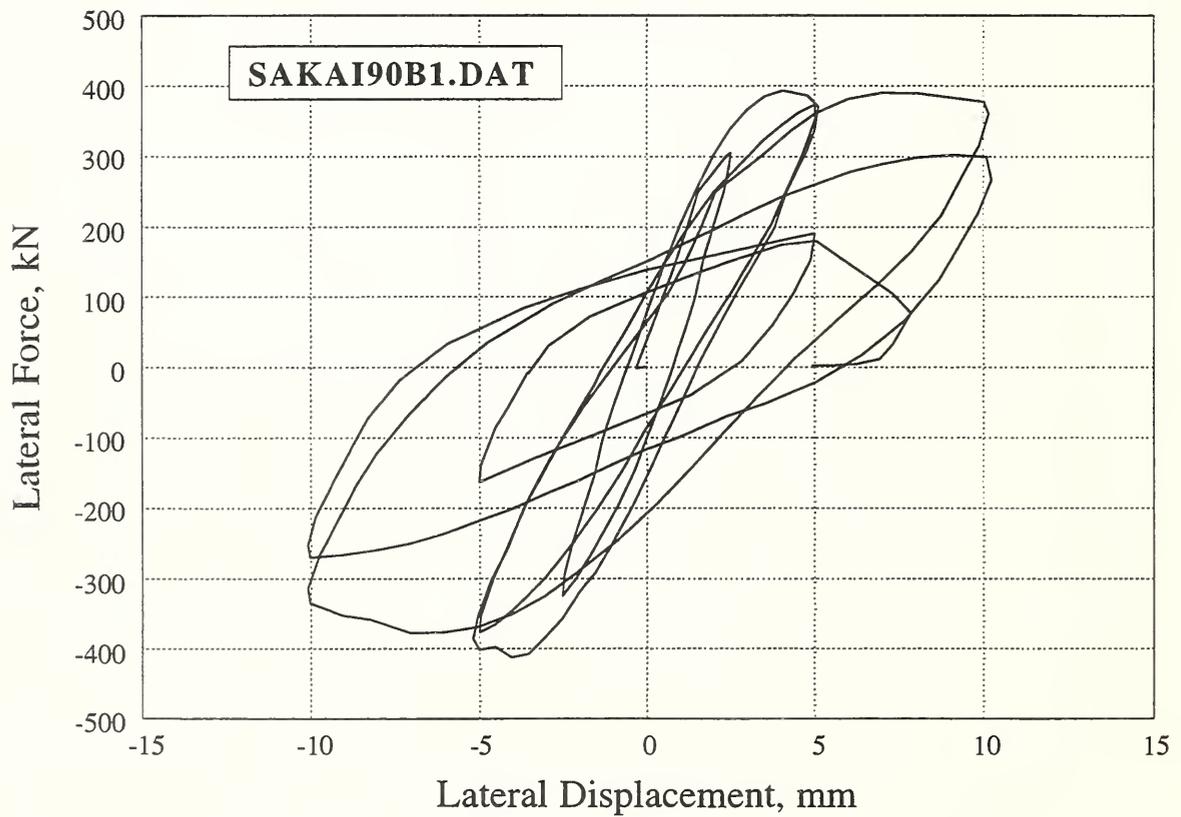


Figure 66. Specimen B1 of Sakai 1990

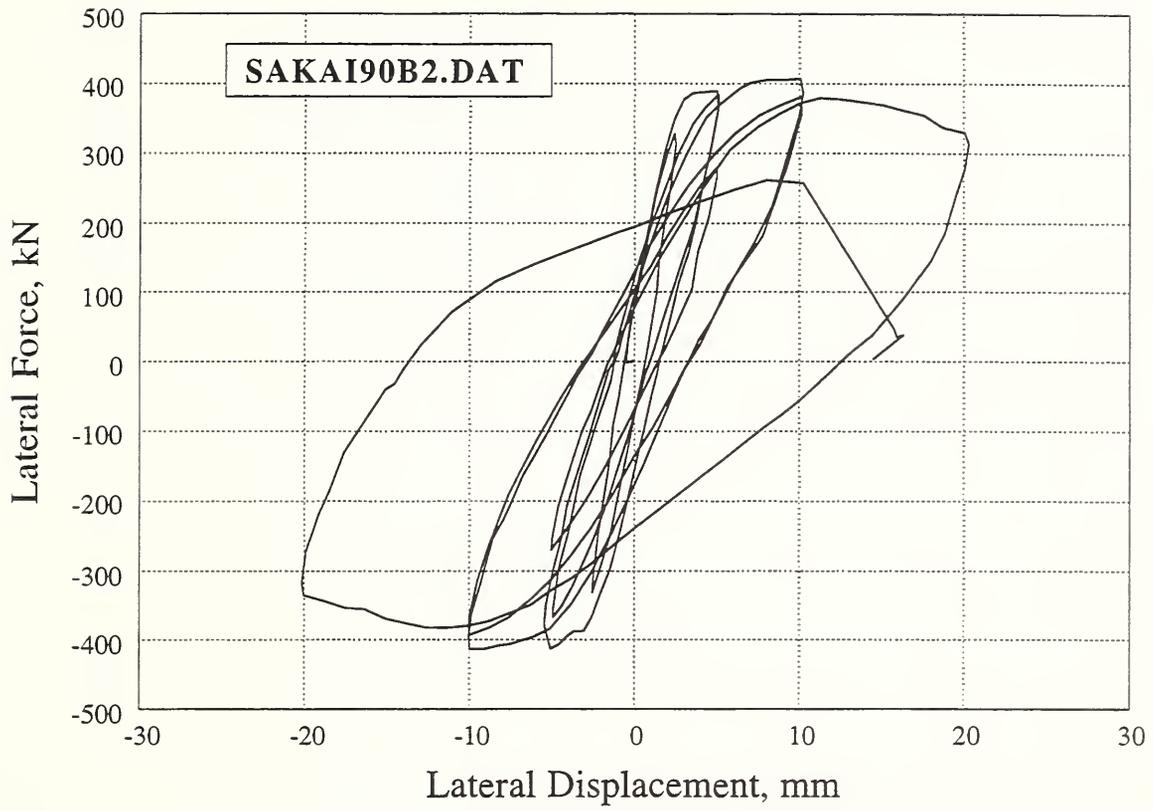


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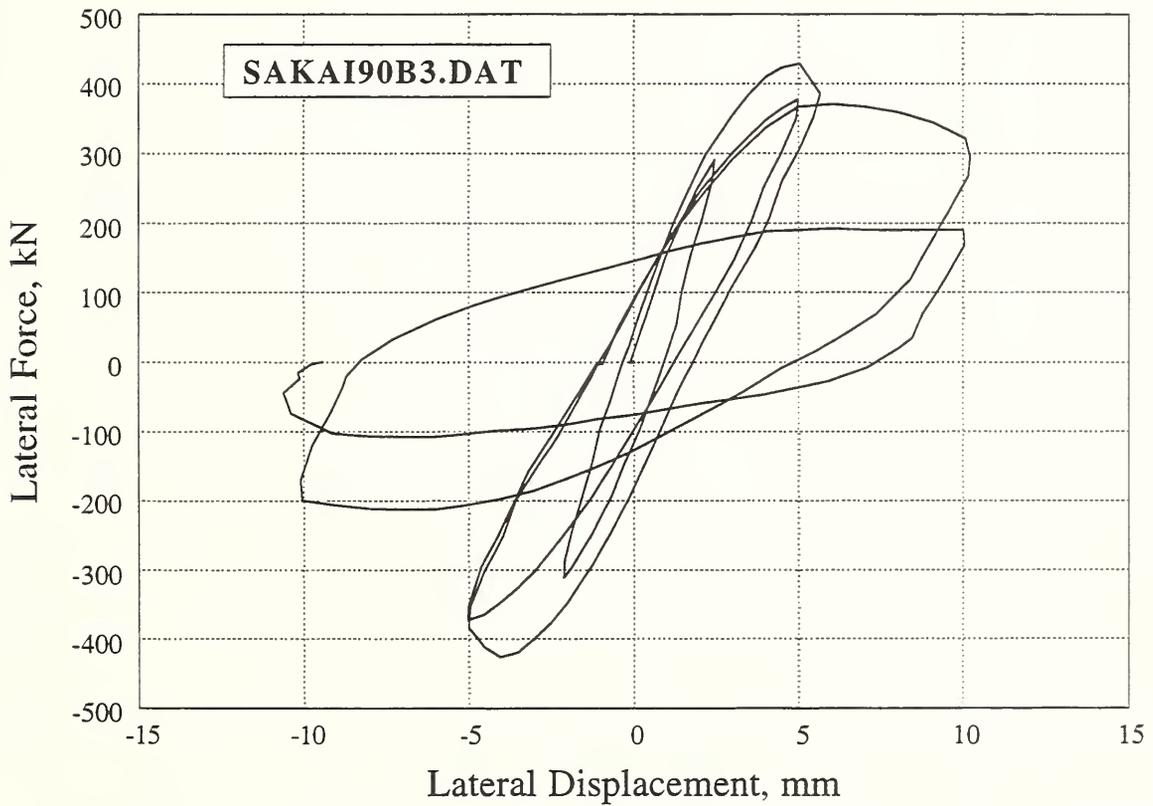


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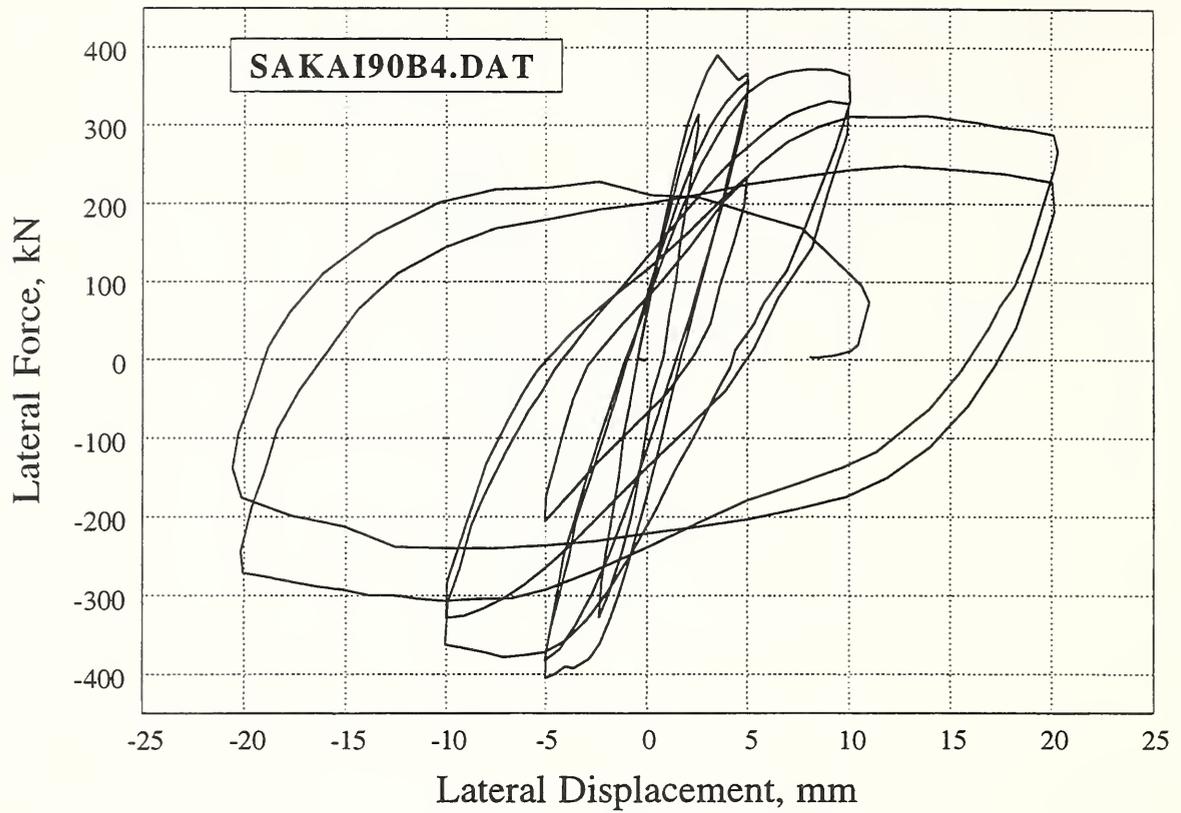


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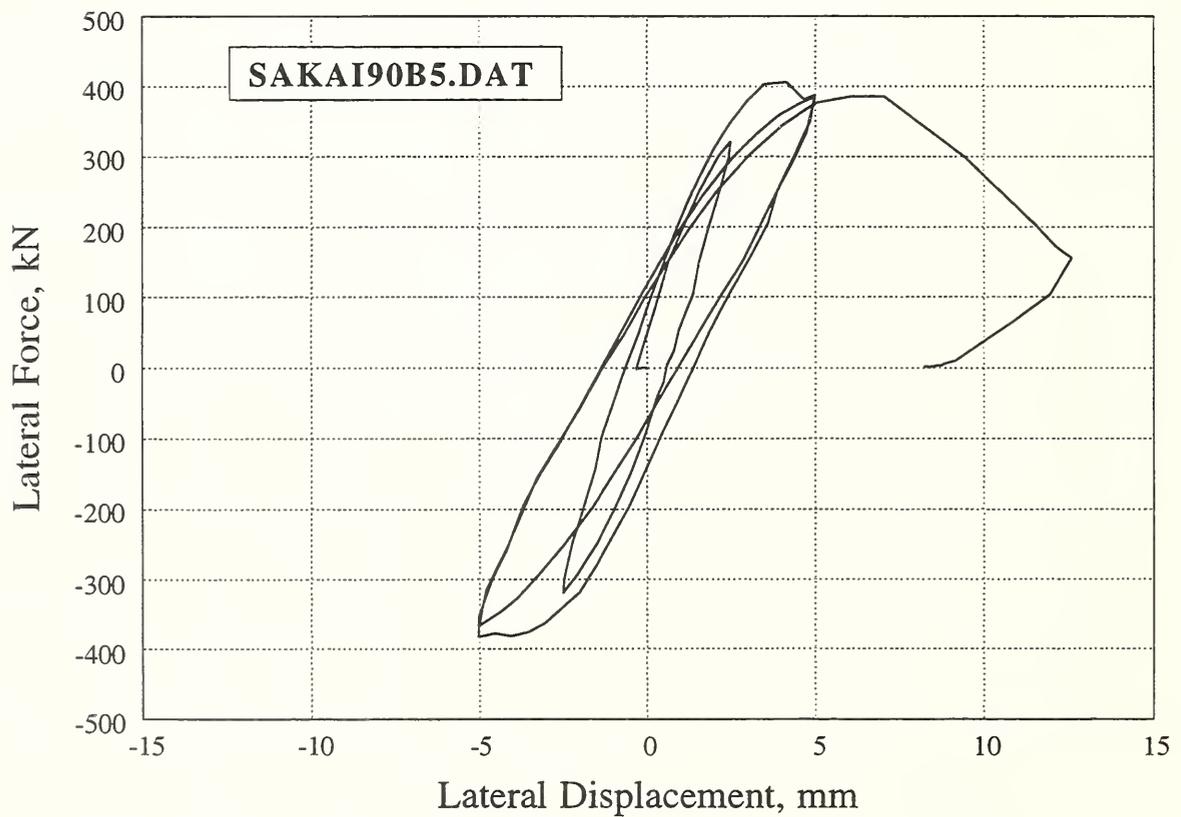


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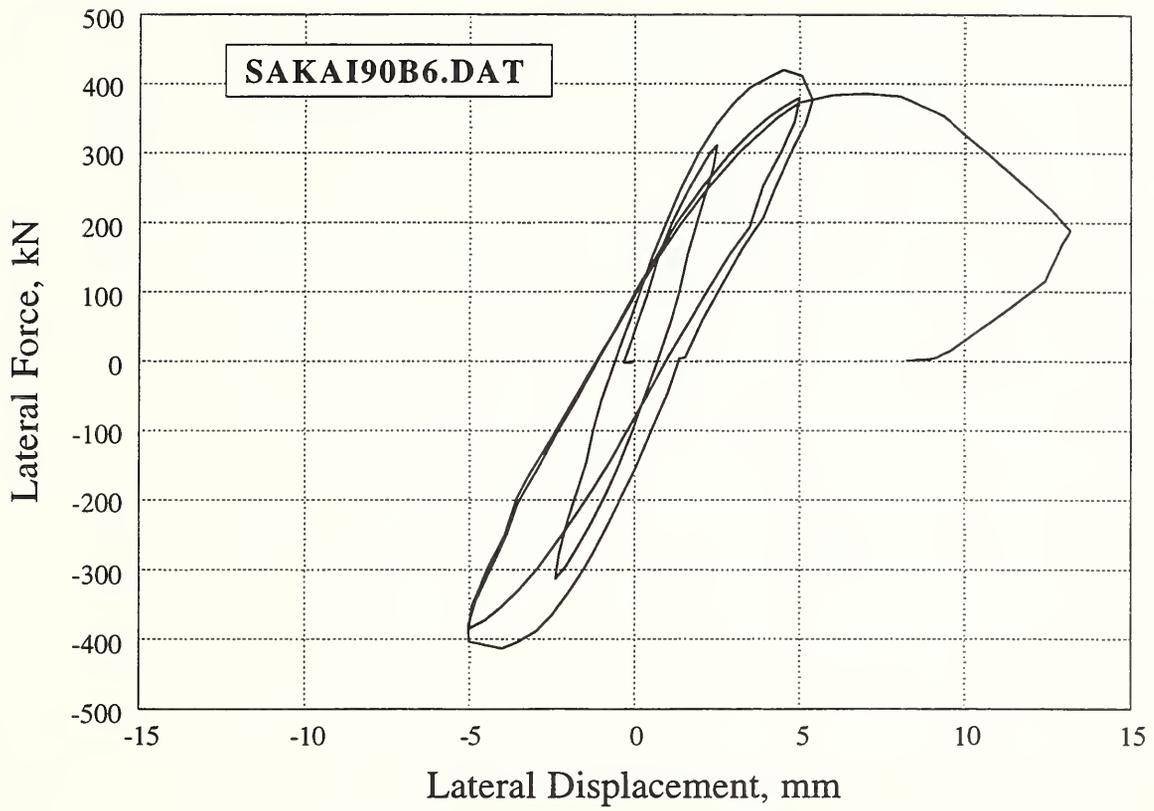


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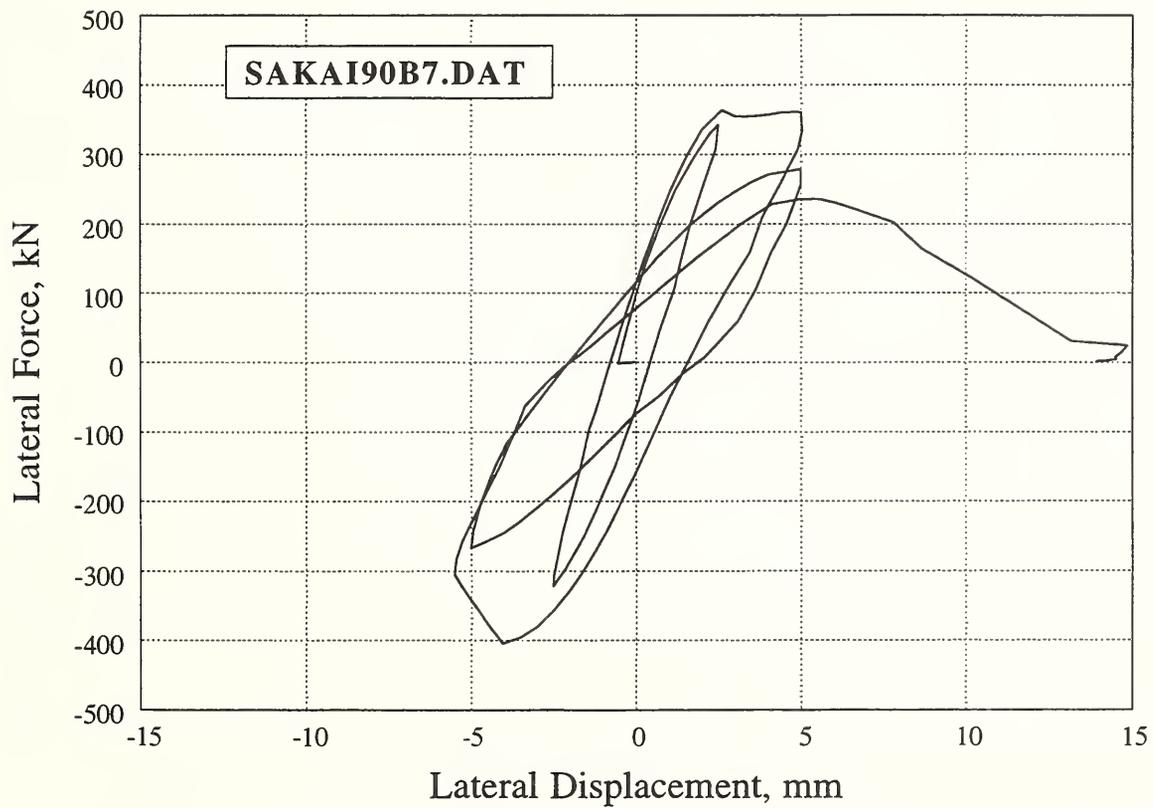


Figure 72. Specimen B7 of Sakai 1990

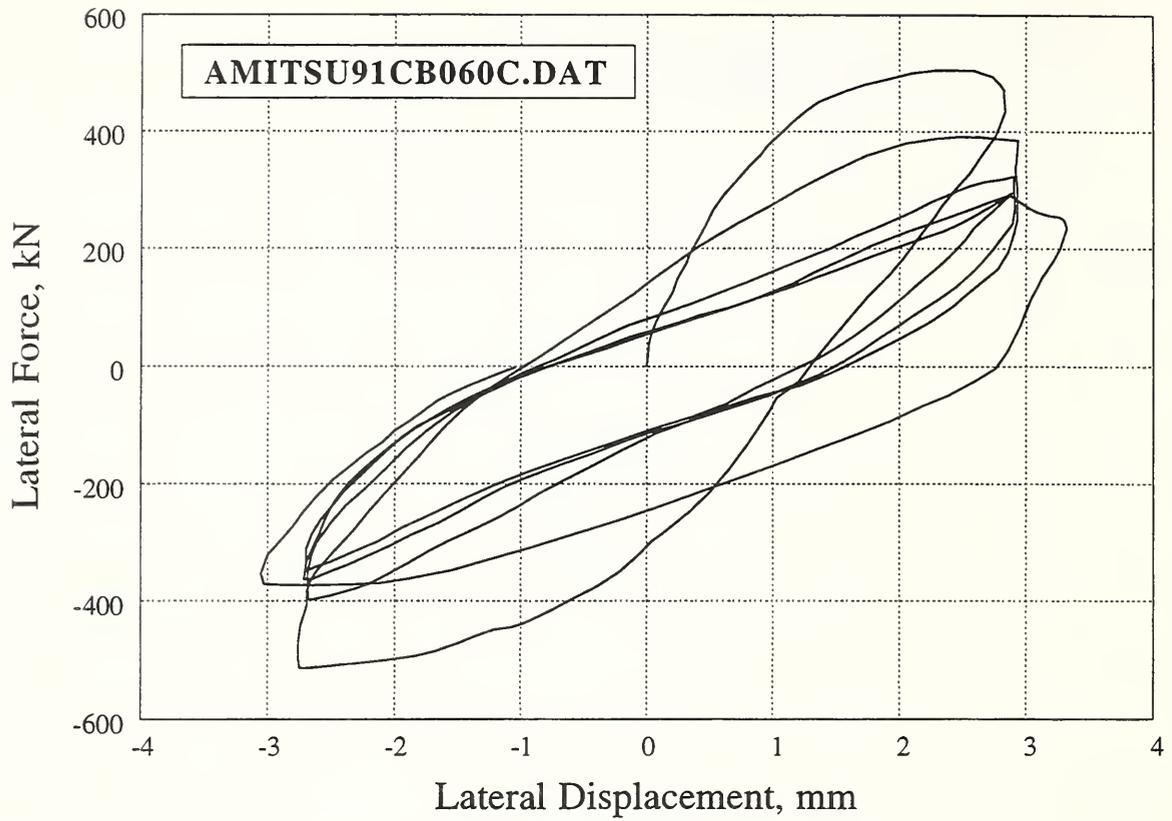


Figure 73. Specimen CB060C of Amitsu 1991

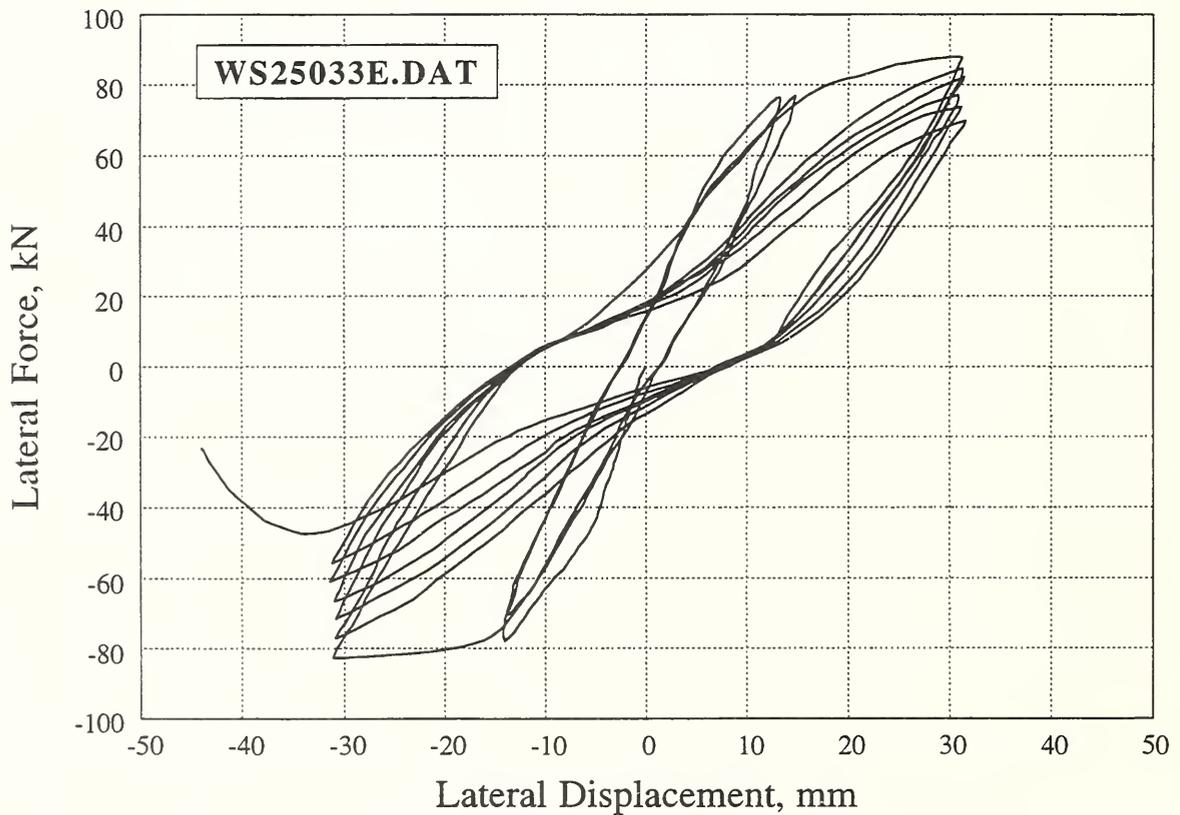


Figure 74. Specimen WS25033E of Wight 1973

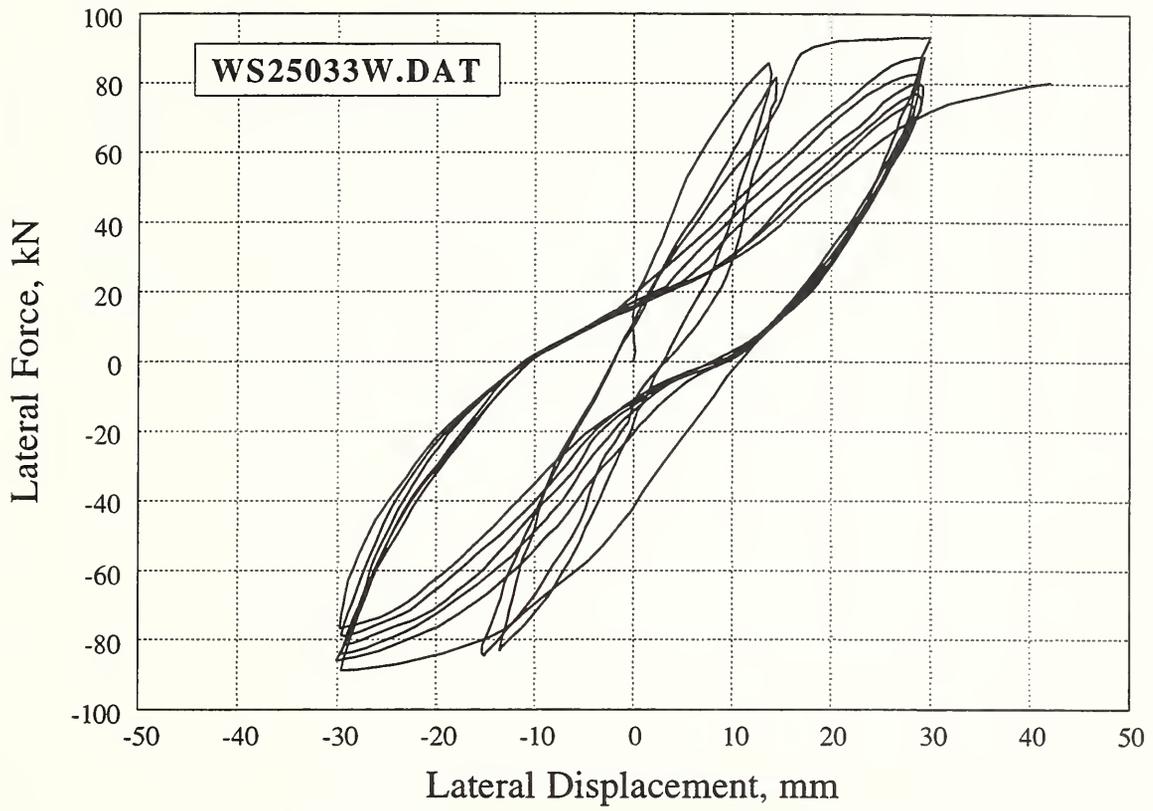


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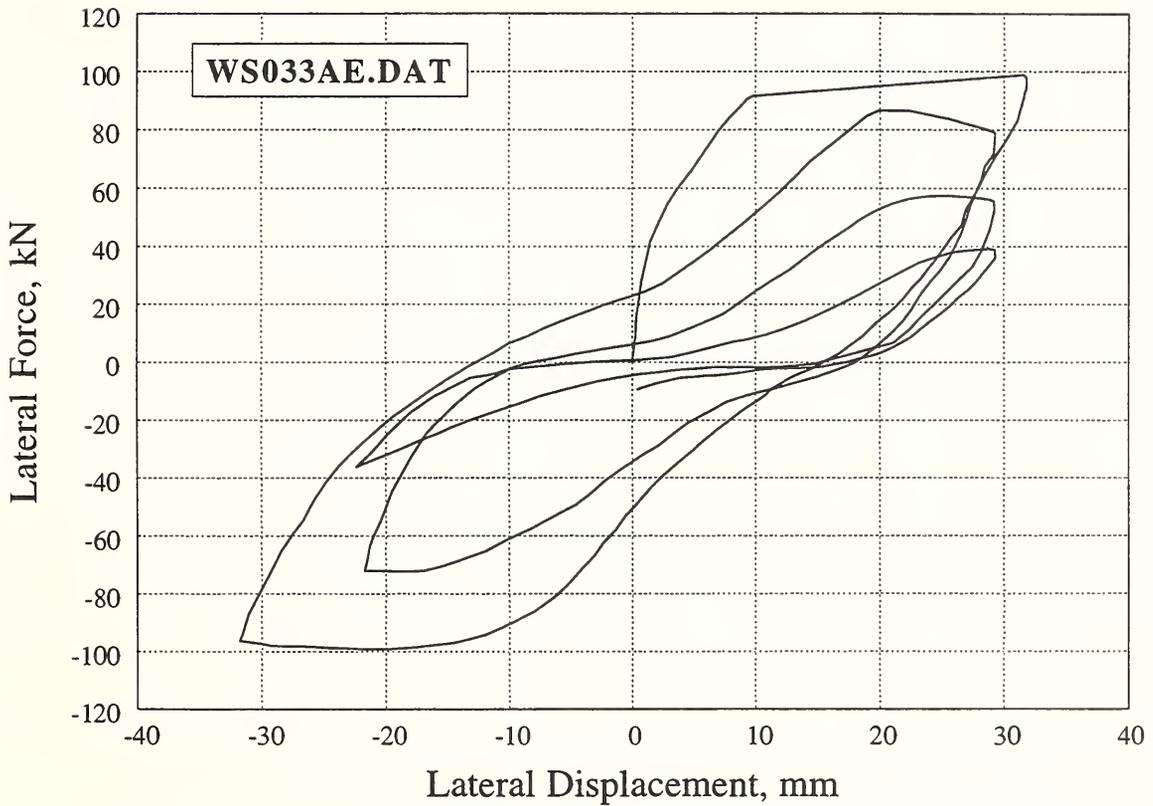


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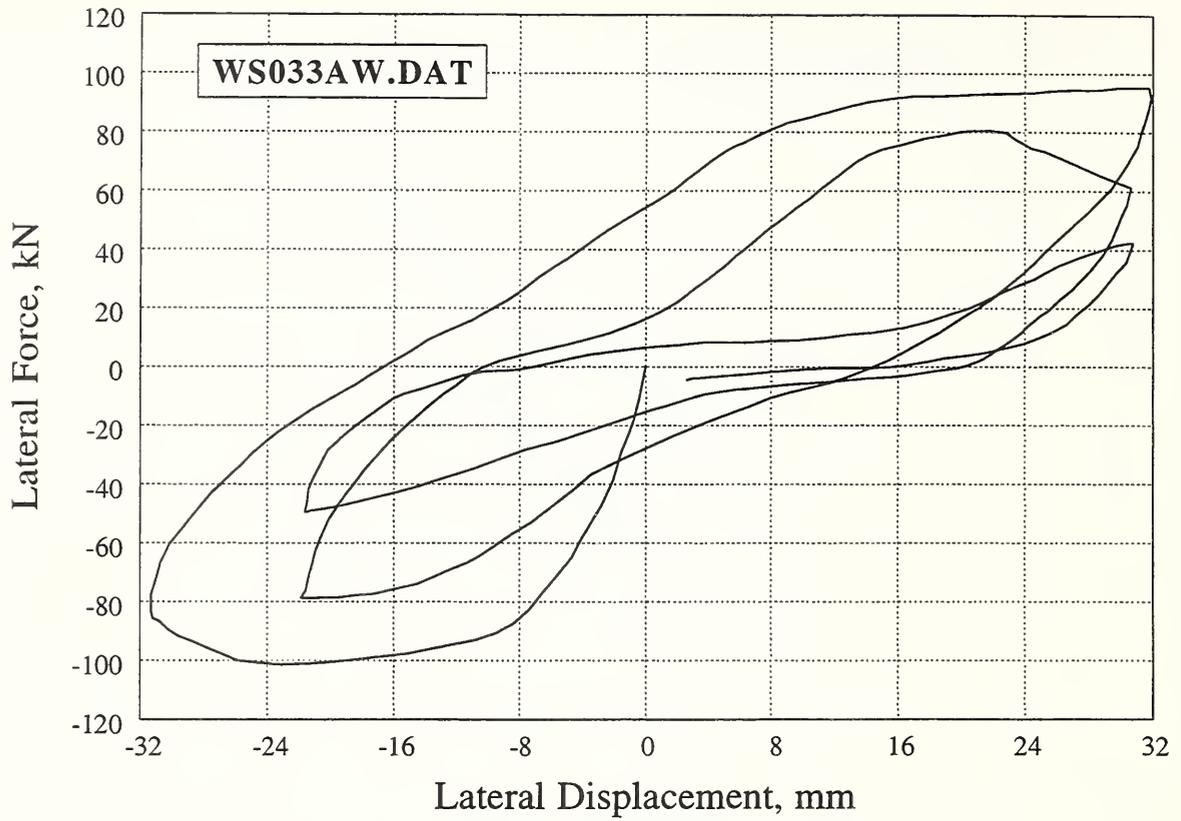


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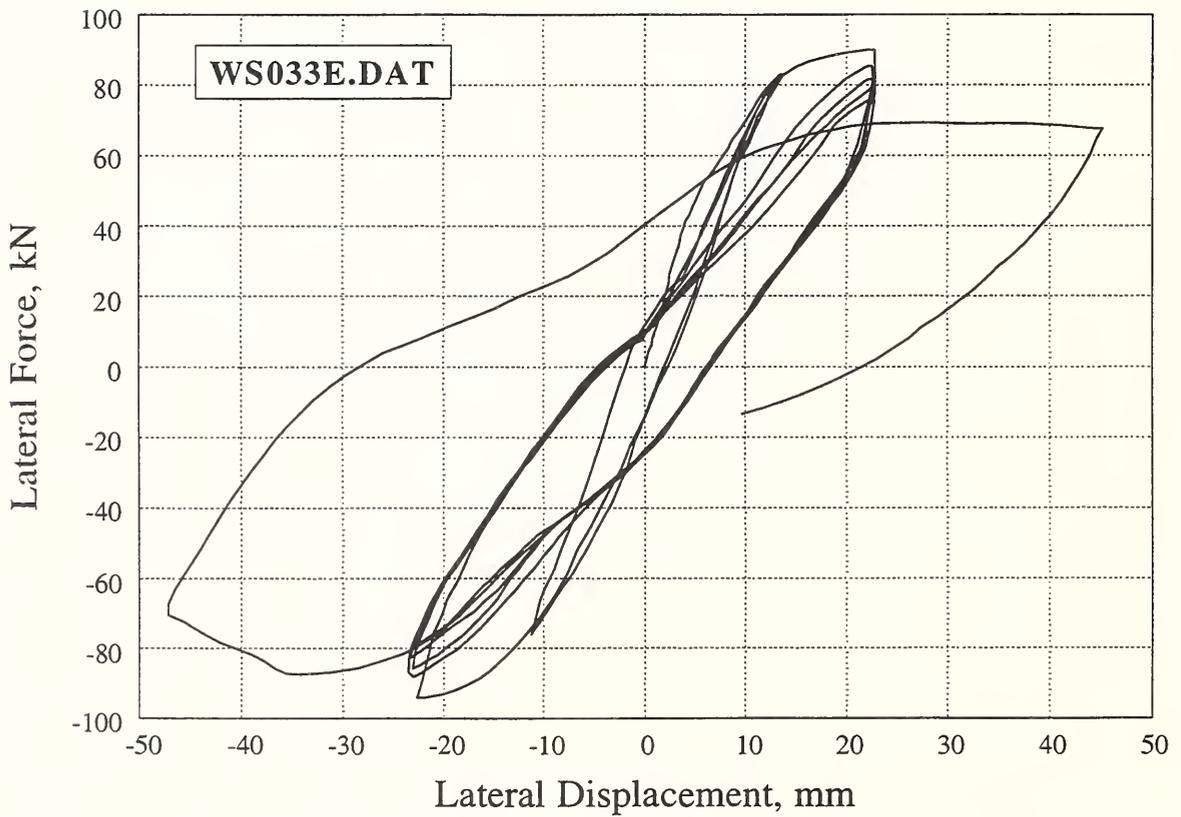


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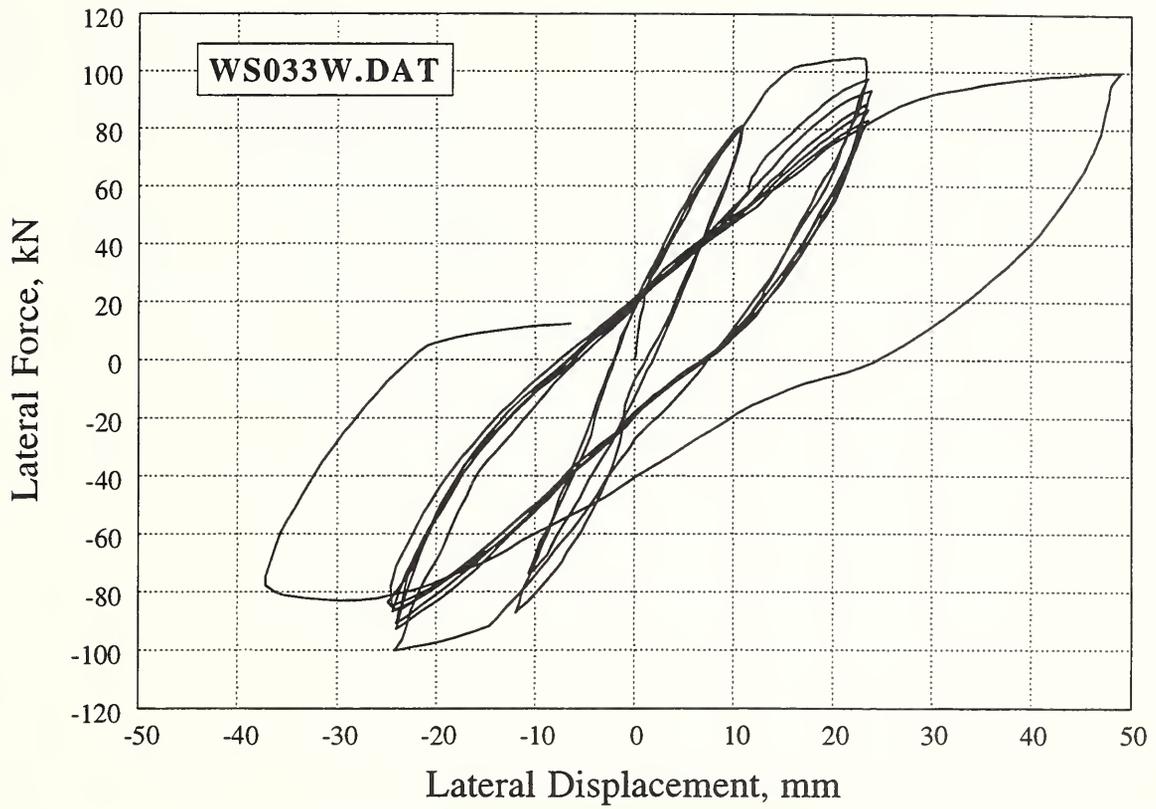


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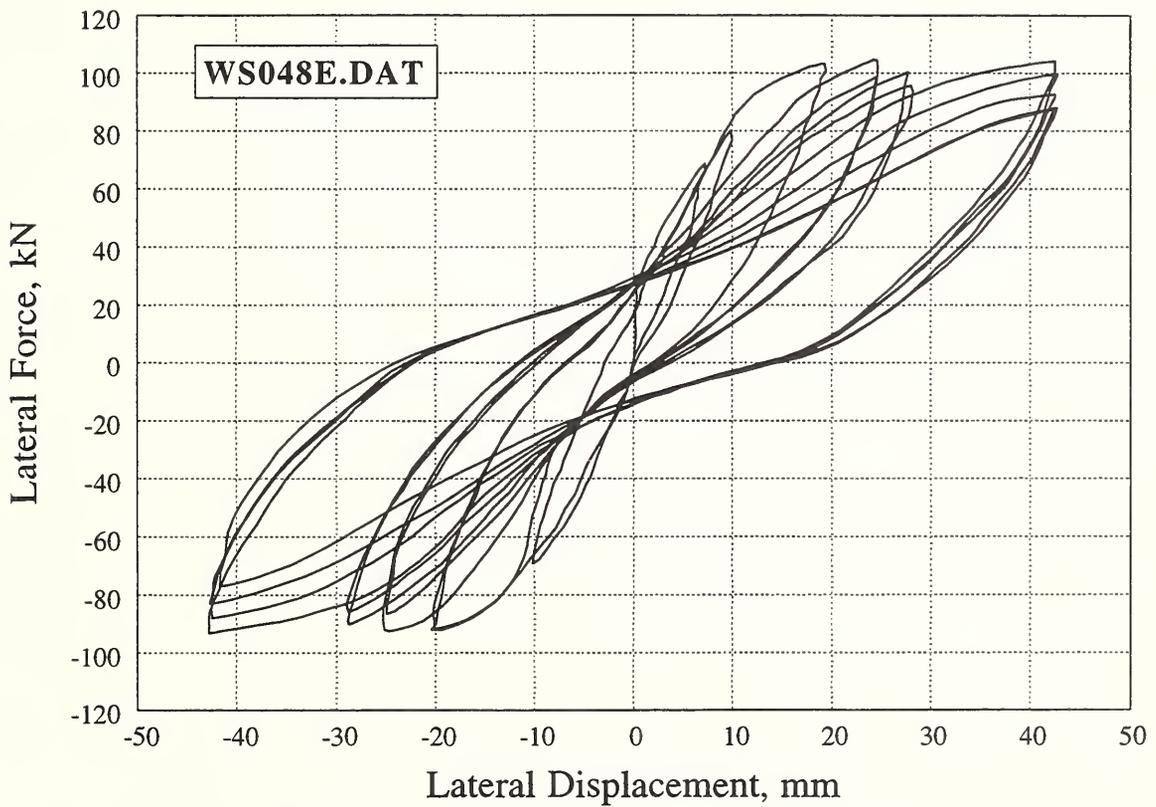


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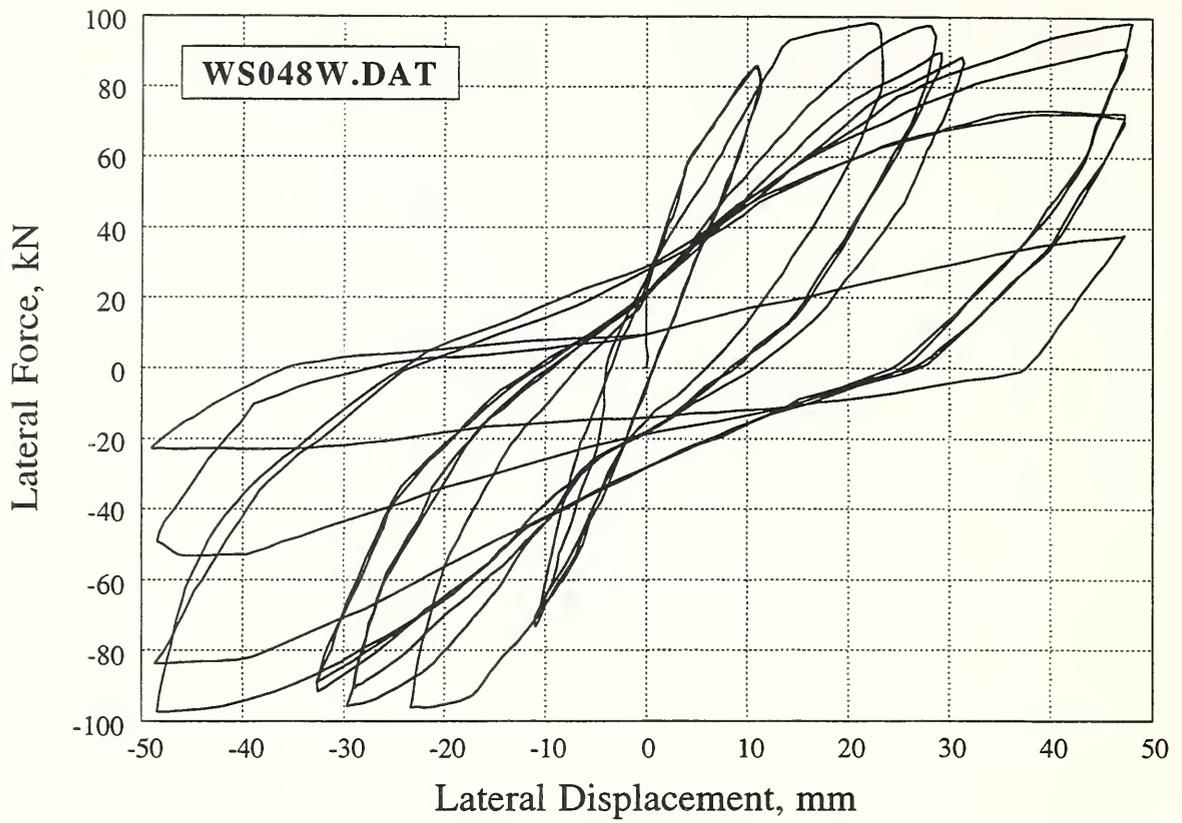


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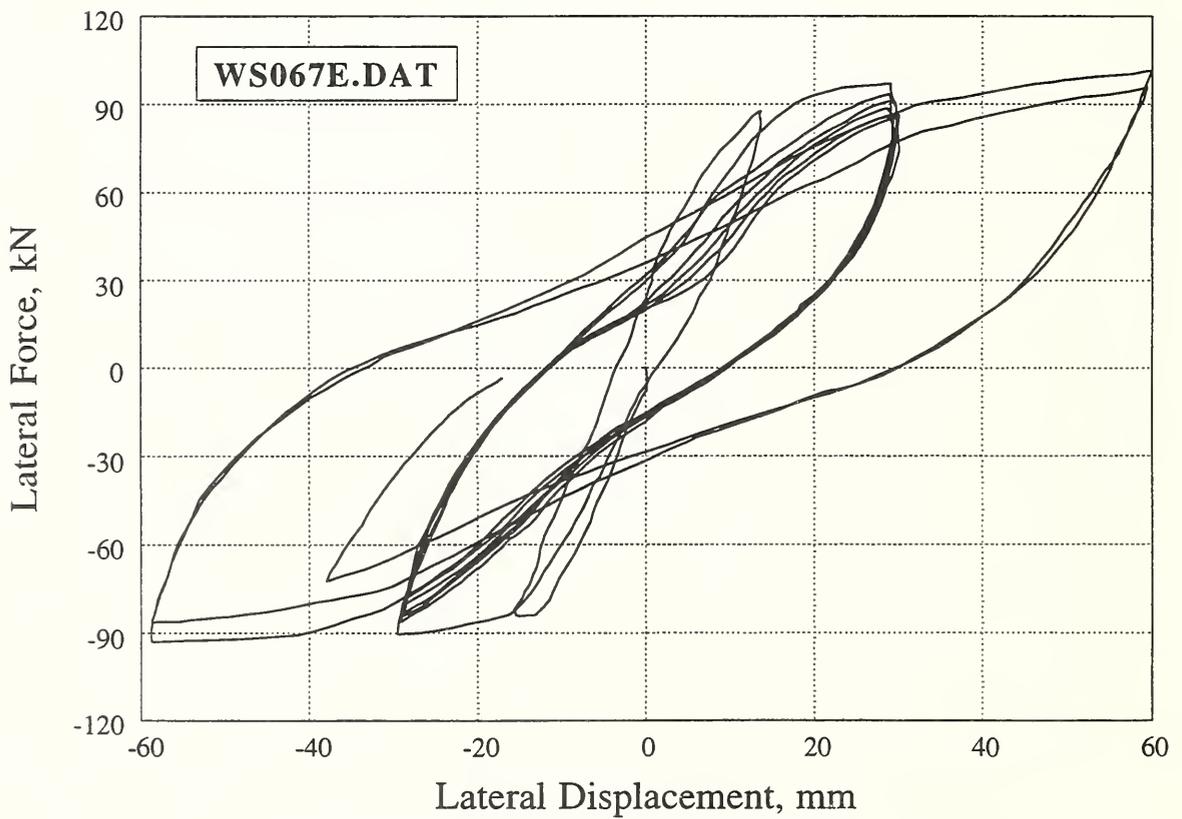


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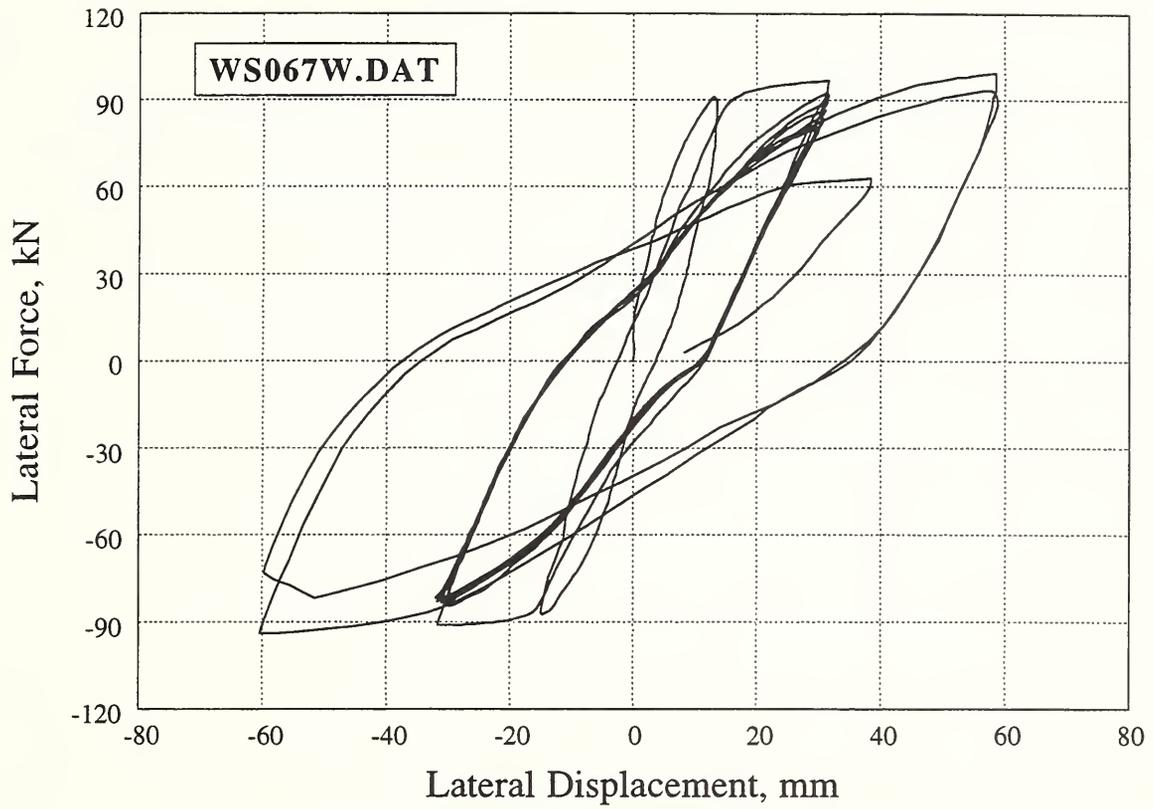


Figure 83. Specimen WS067W of Wight 1973

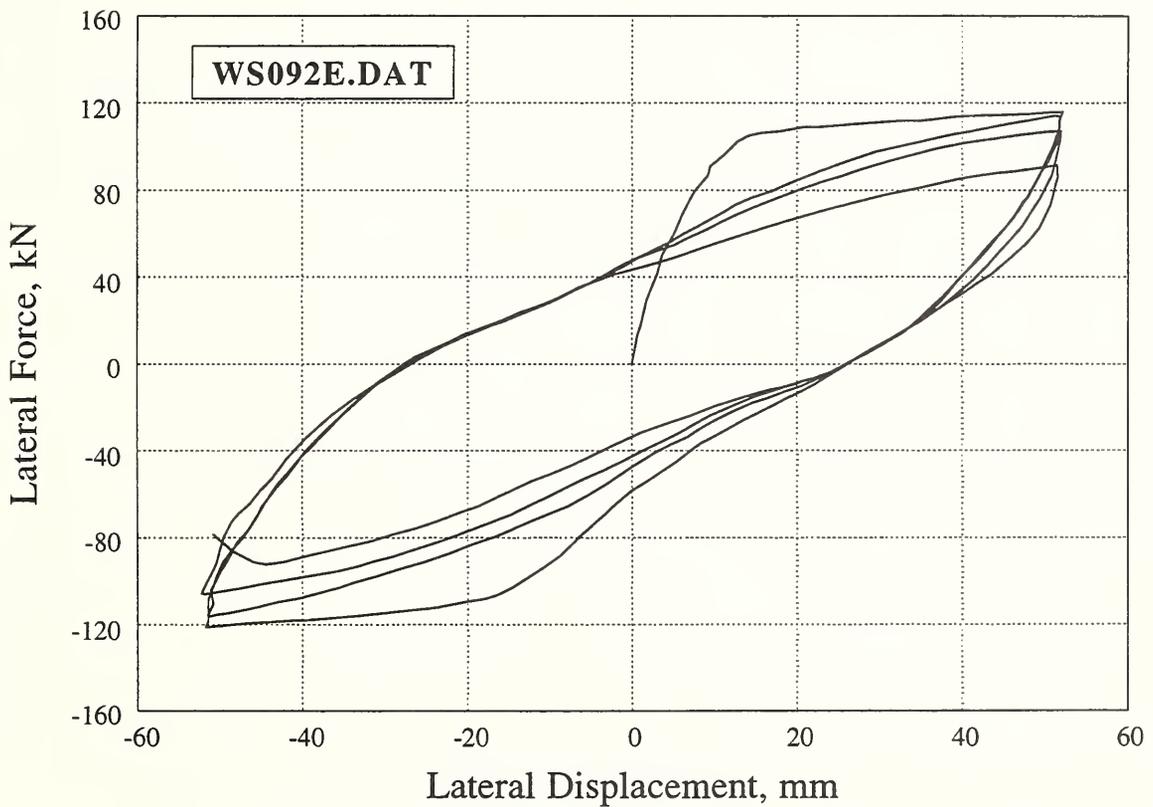


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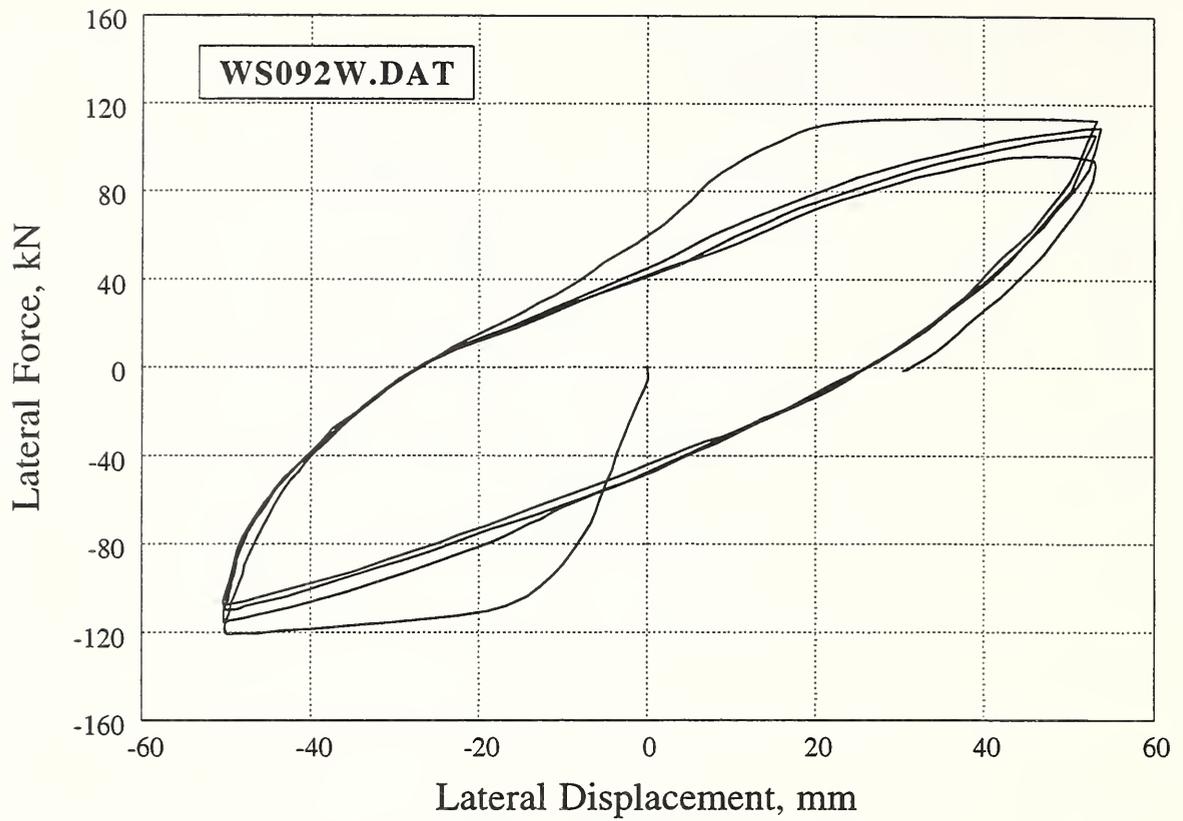


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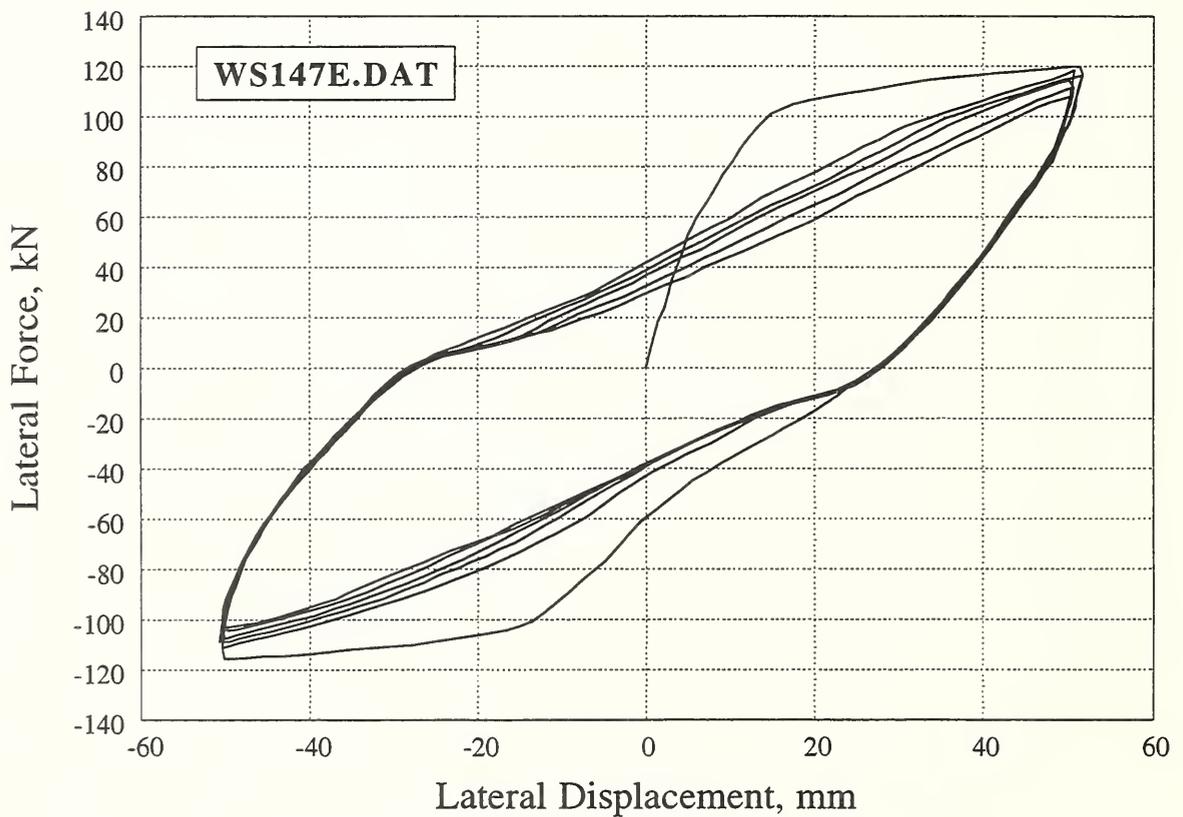


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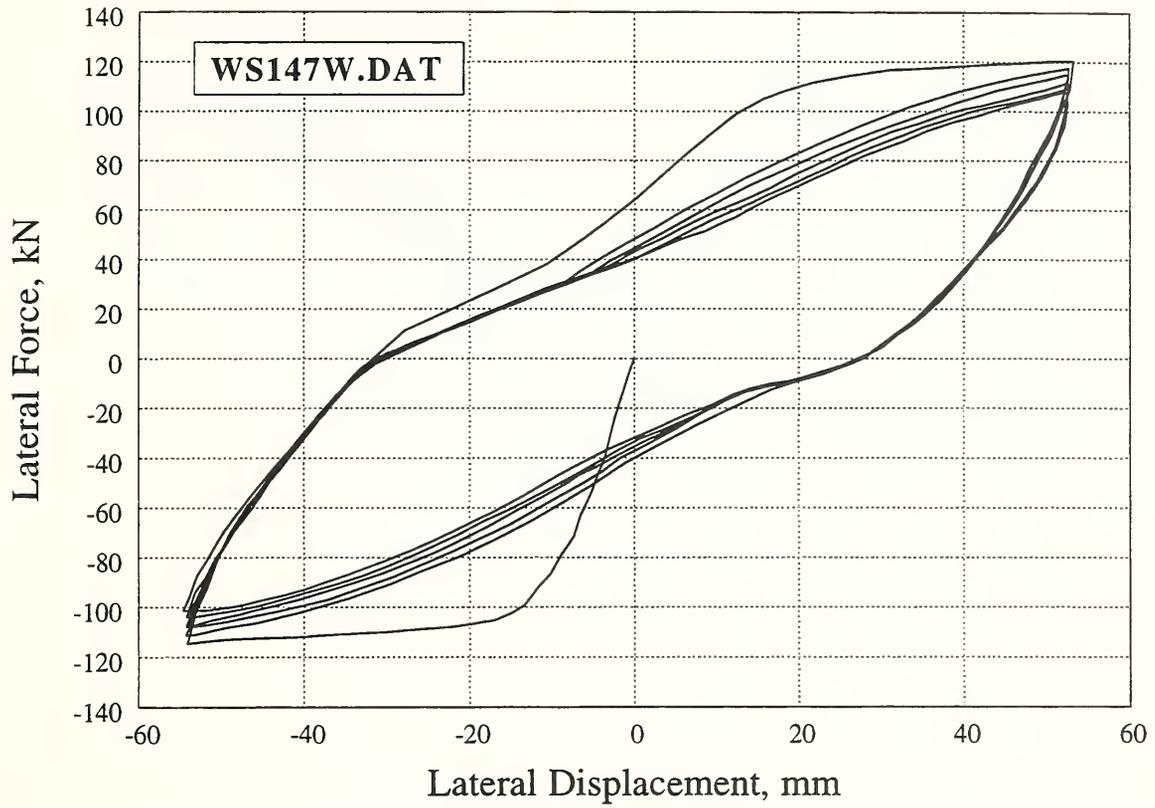


Figure 87. Specimen WS147W of Wight 1973

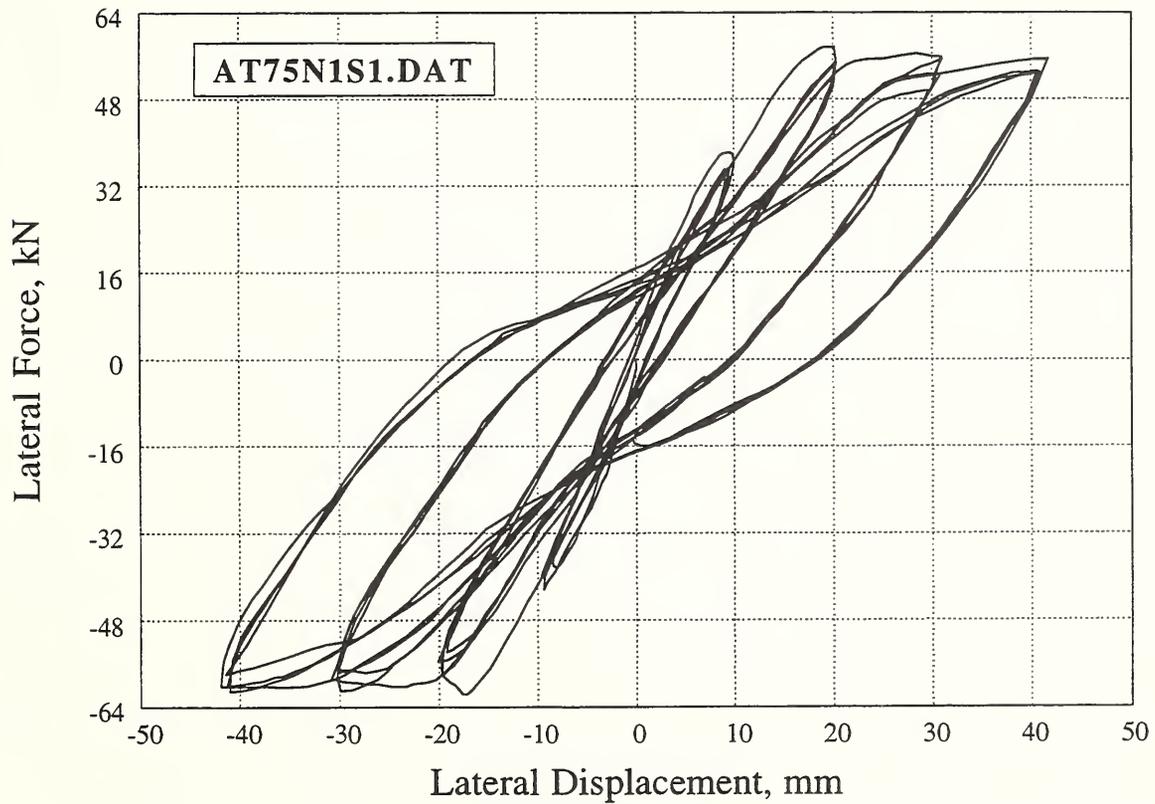


Figure 88. Specimen 1 of Atalay 1975

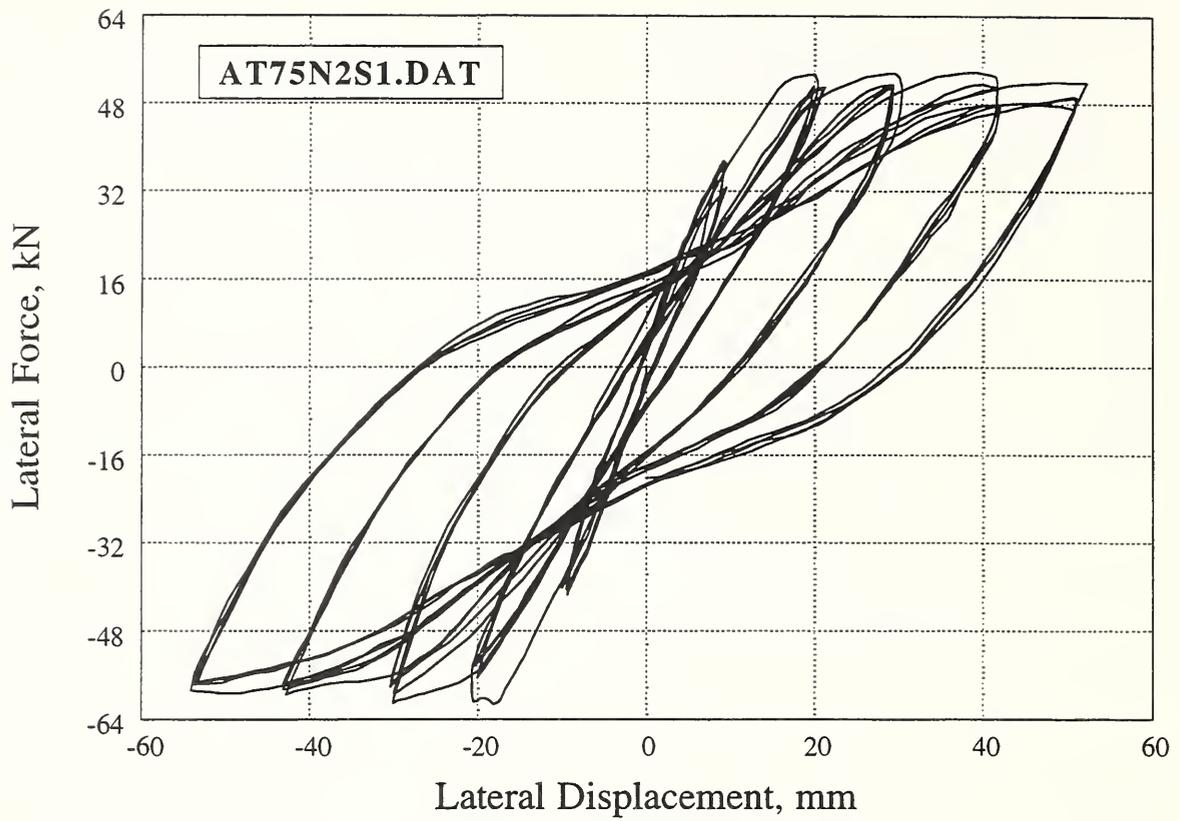


Figure 89. Specimen 2 of Atalay 1975

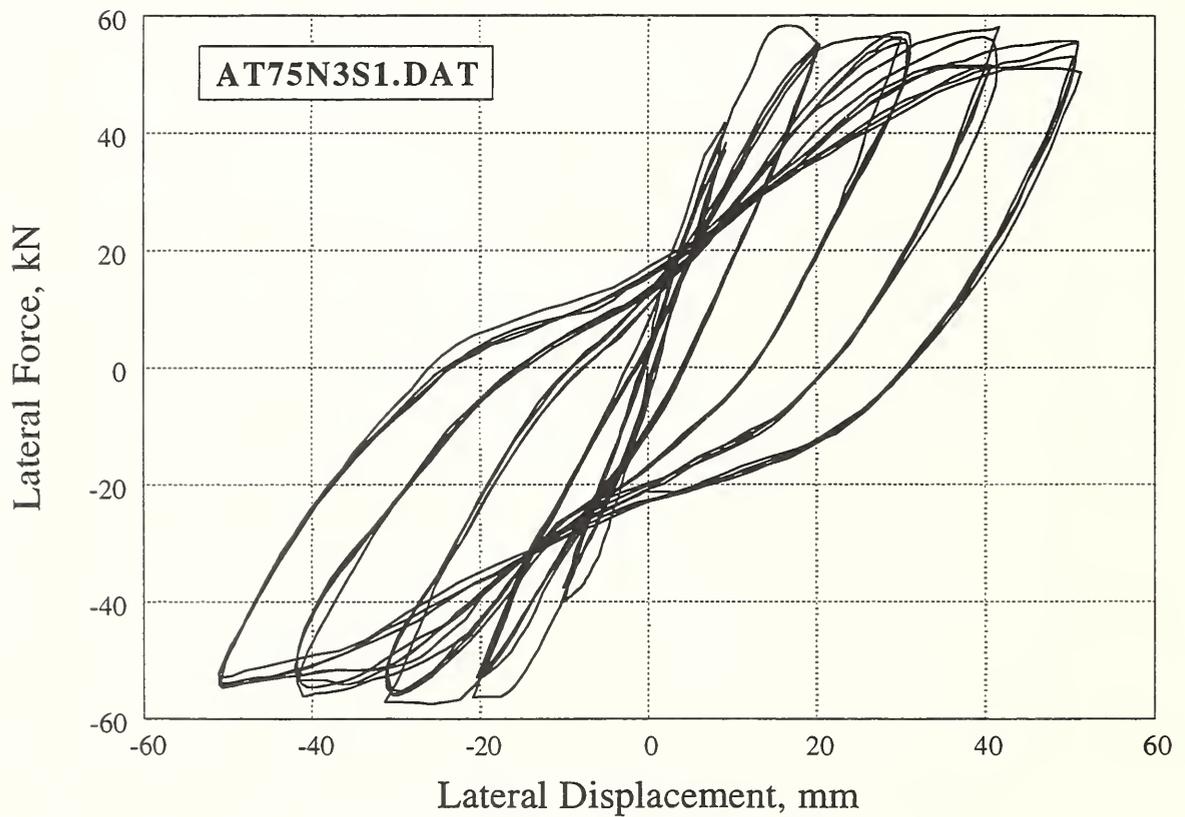


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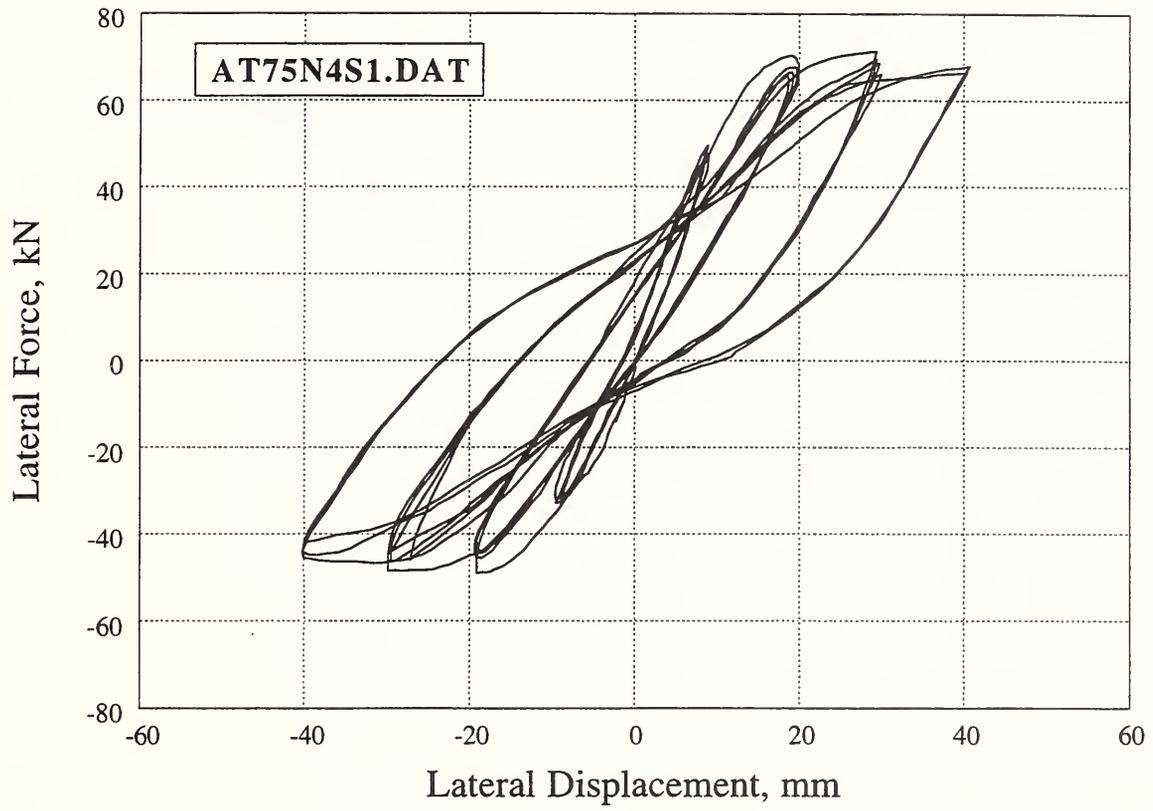


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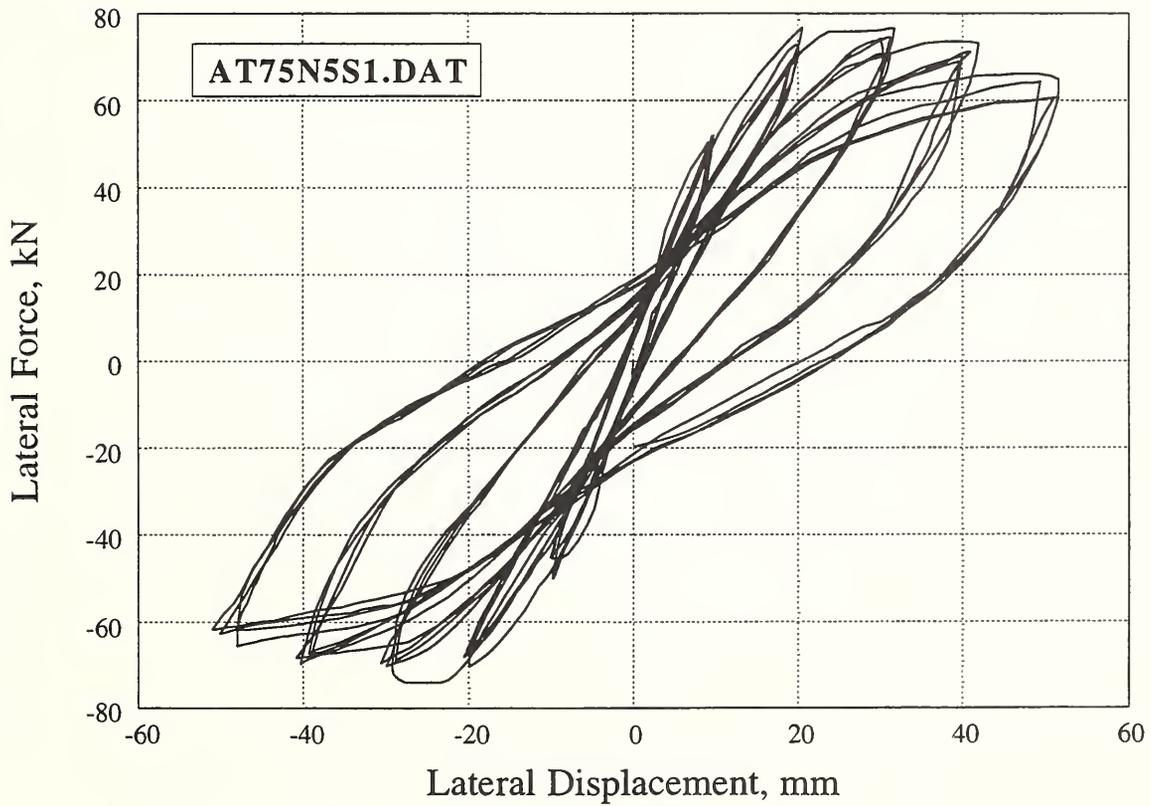


Figure 92. Specimen 5 of Atalay 1975

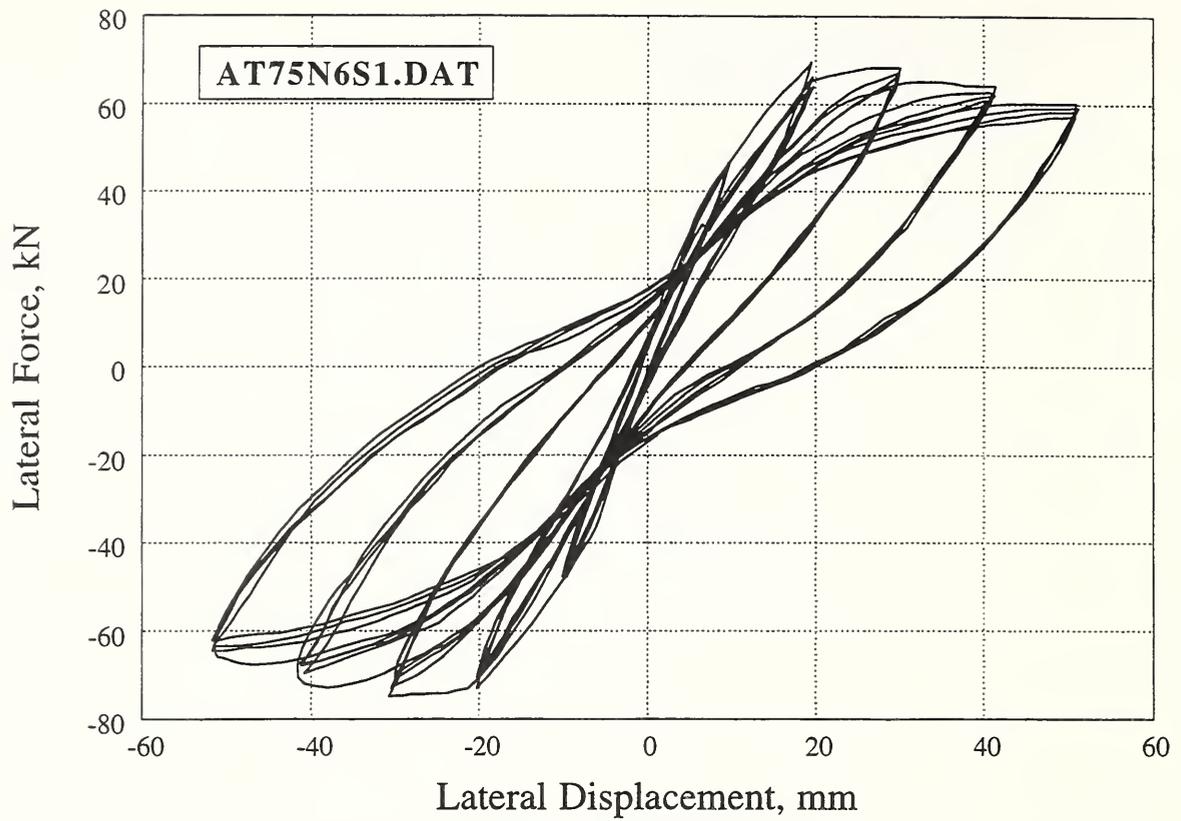


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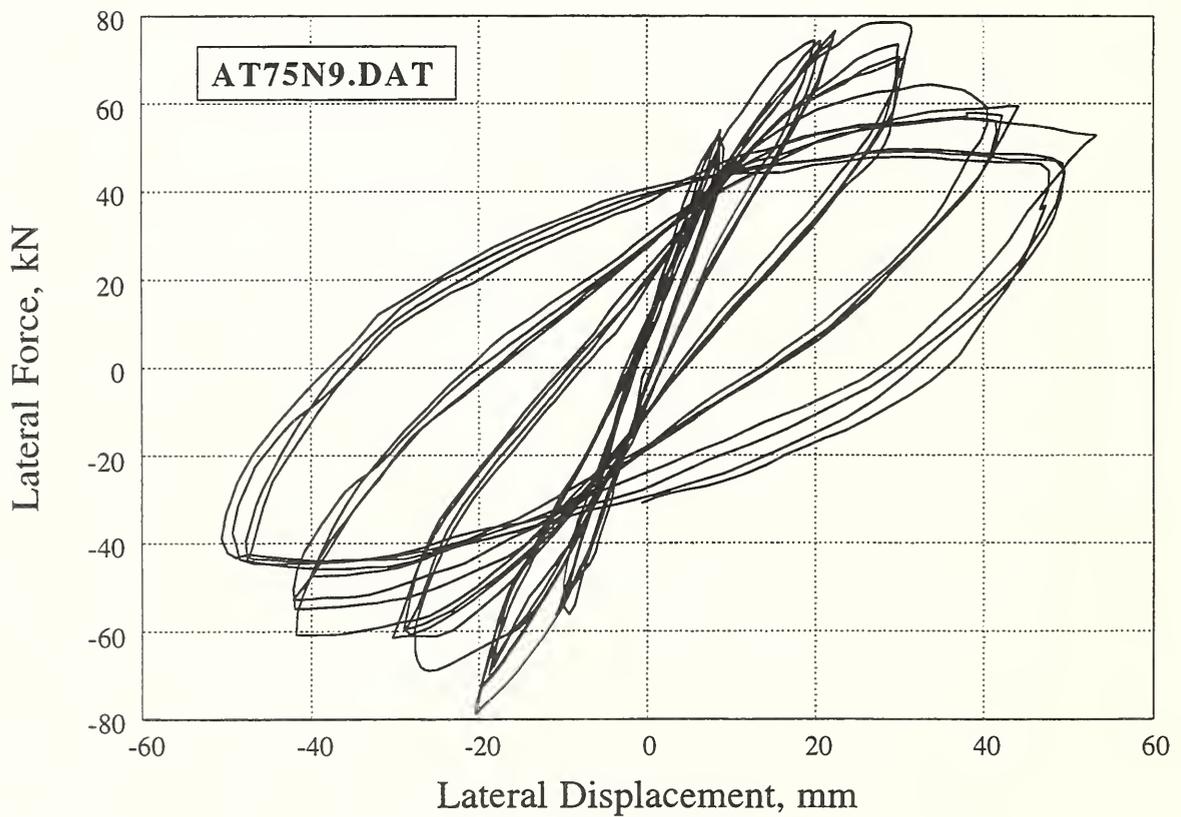


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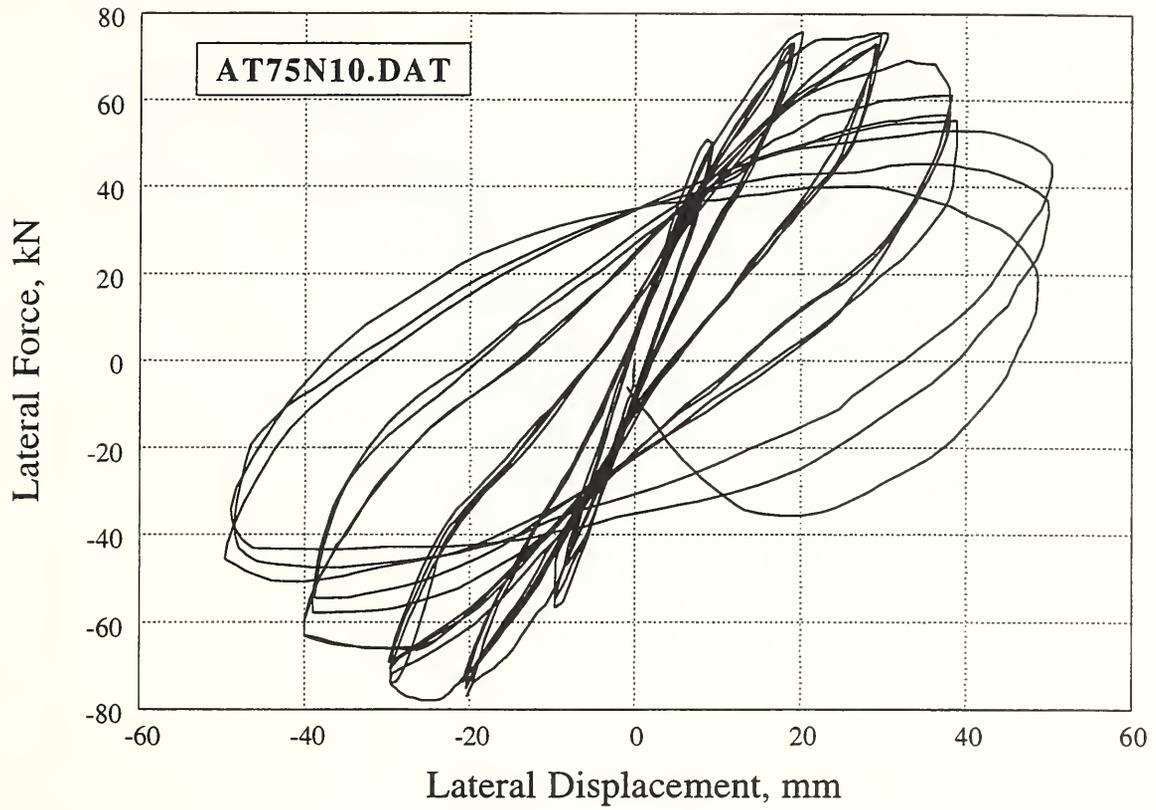


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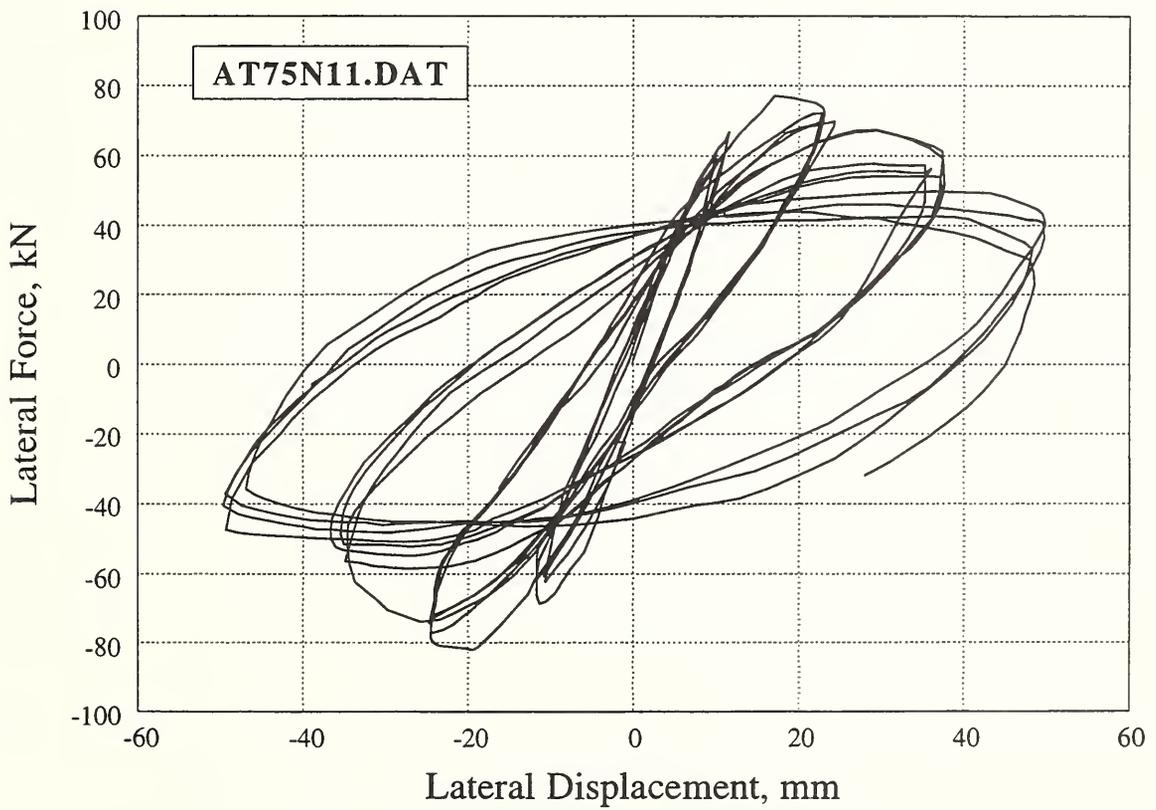


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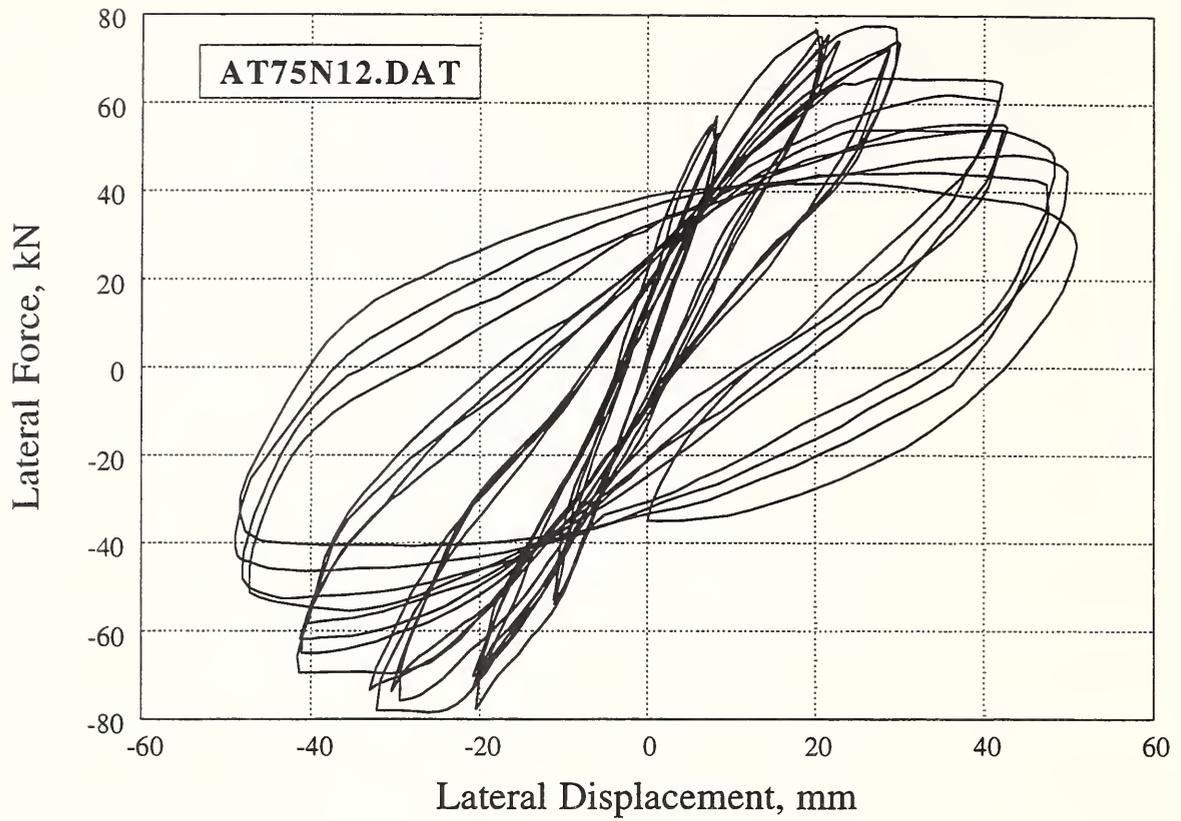


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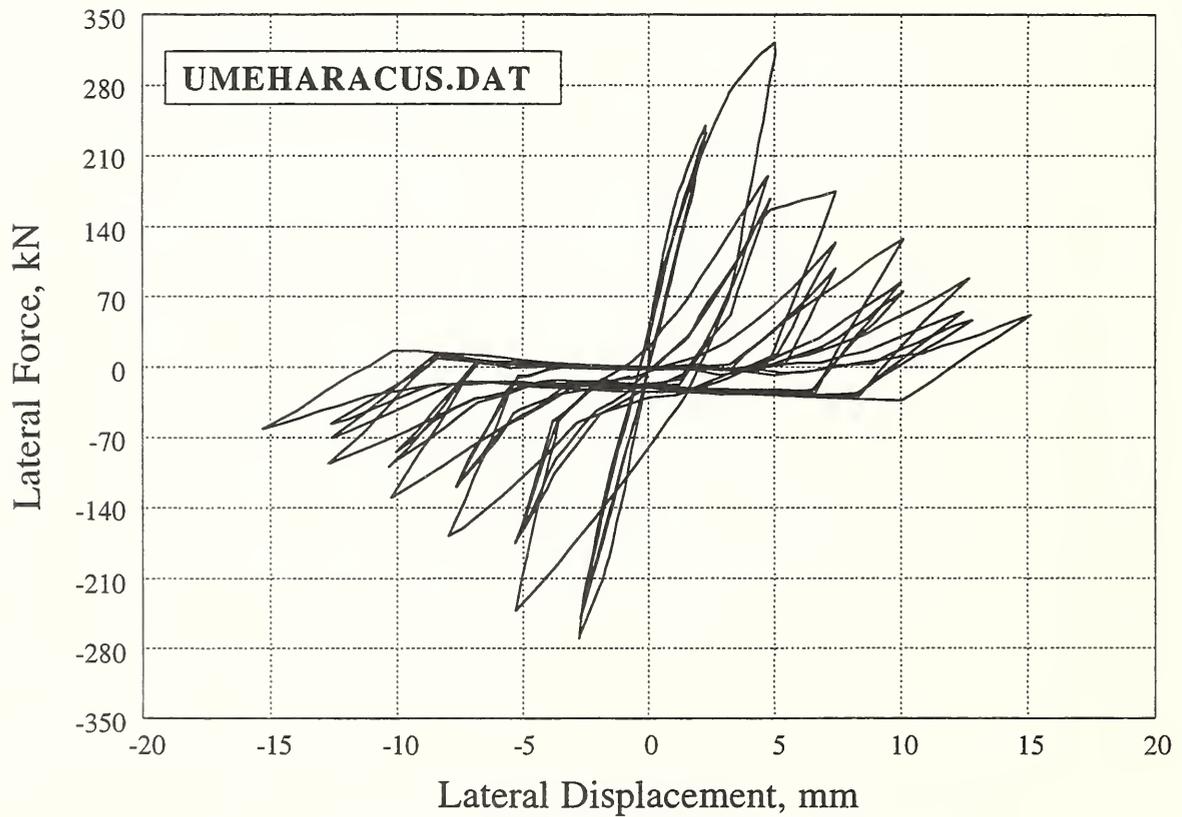


Figure 98. Specimen CUS of Umehara 1982

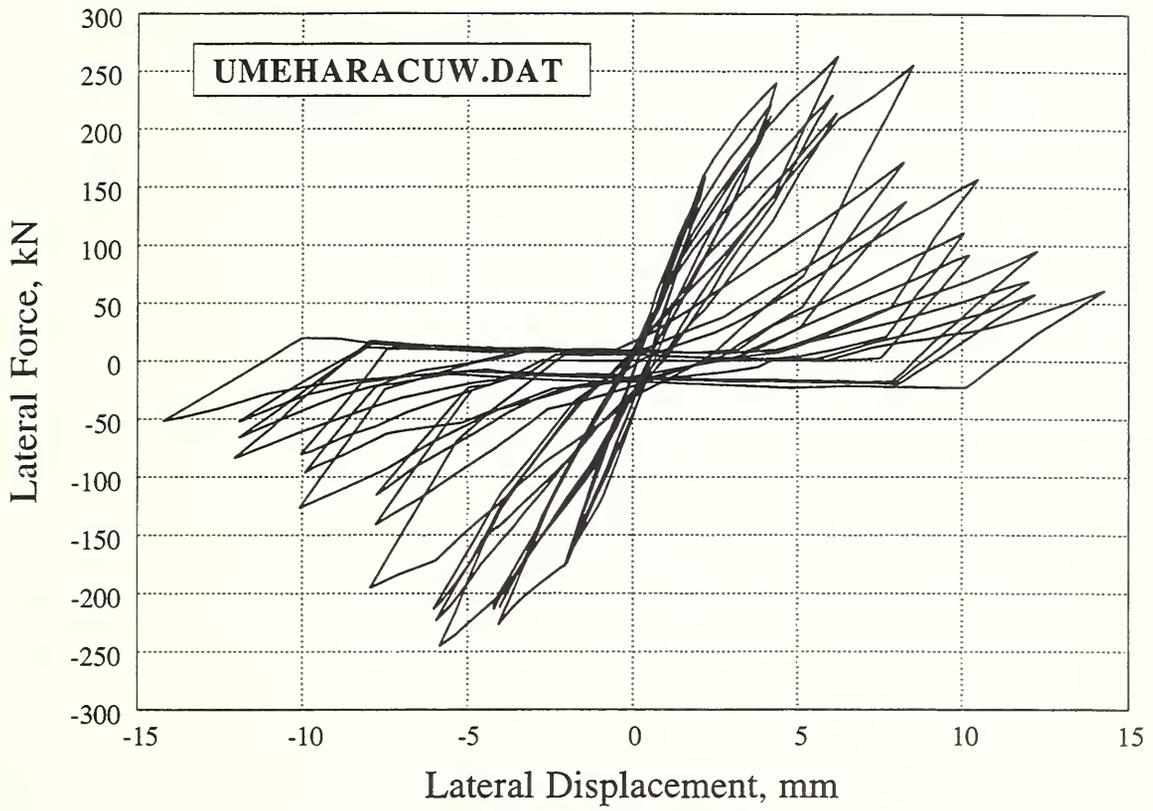


Figure 99. Specimen CUW of Umehara 1982

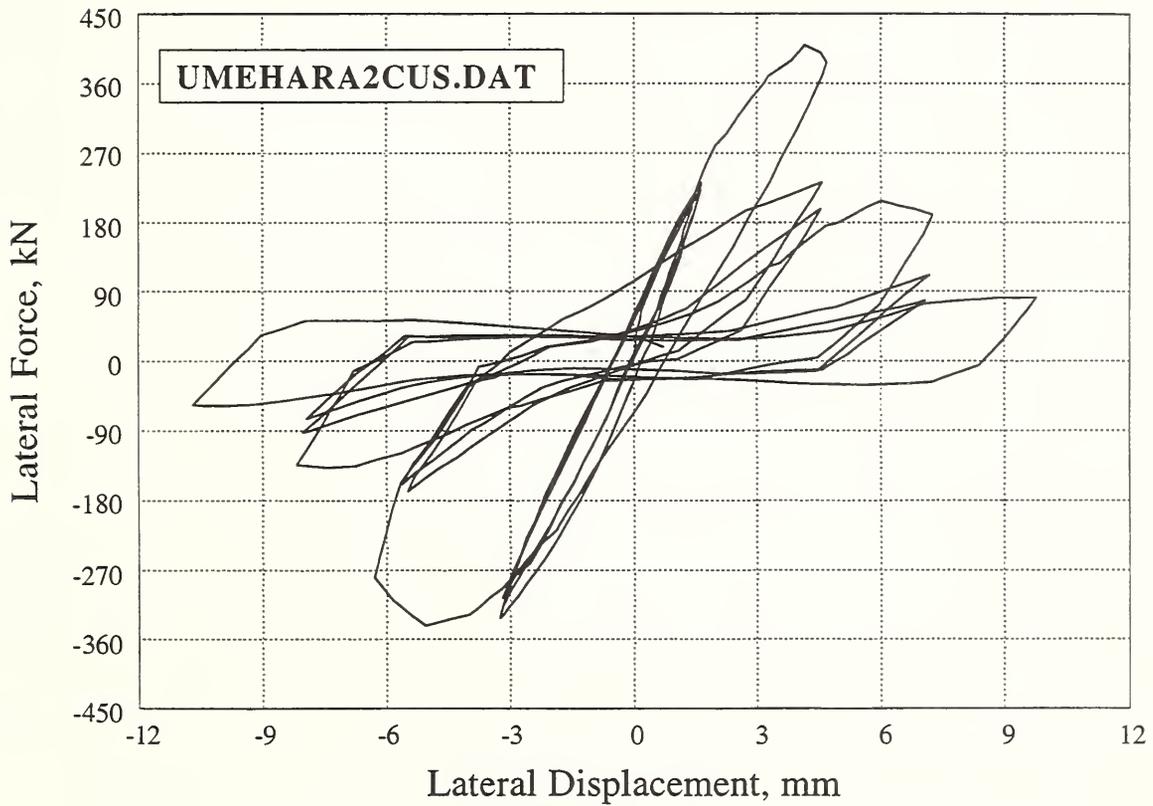


Figure 100. Specimen 2CUS of Umehara 1982

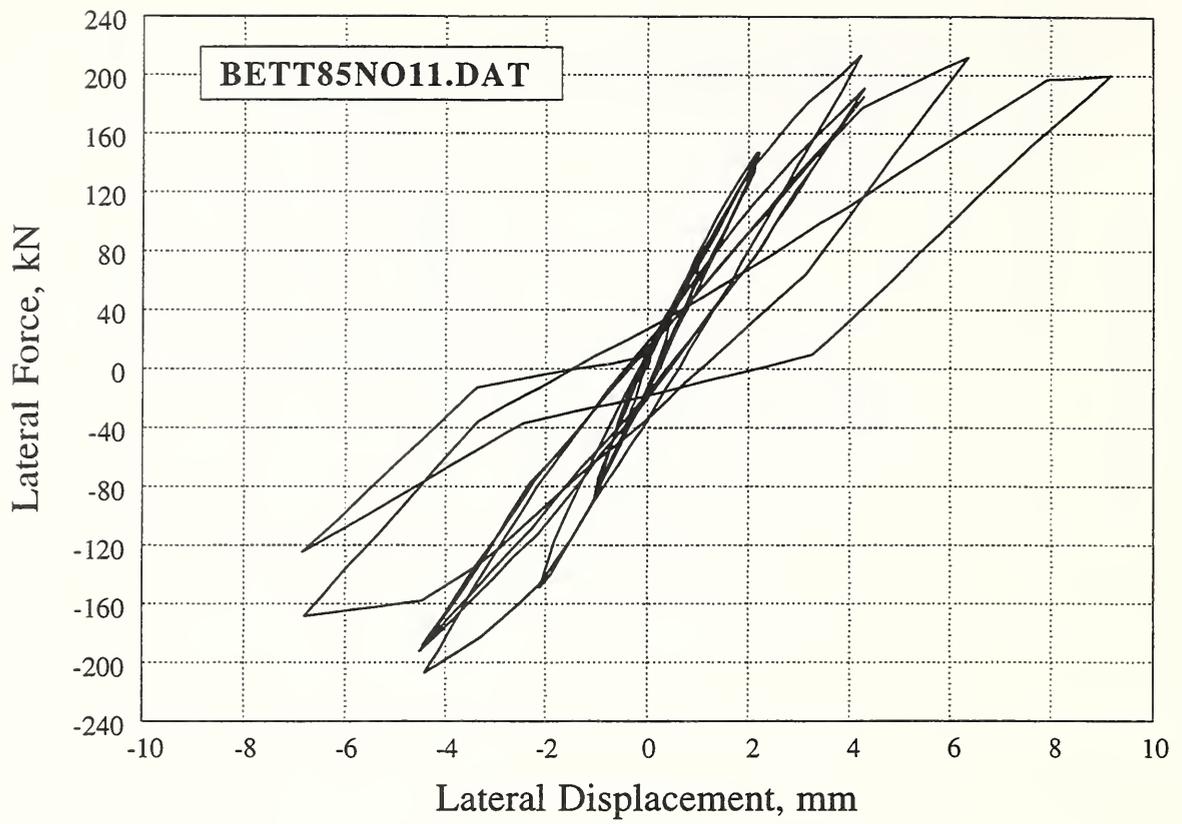


Figure 101. Specimen 11 of Bett 1985

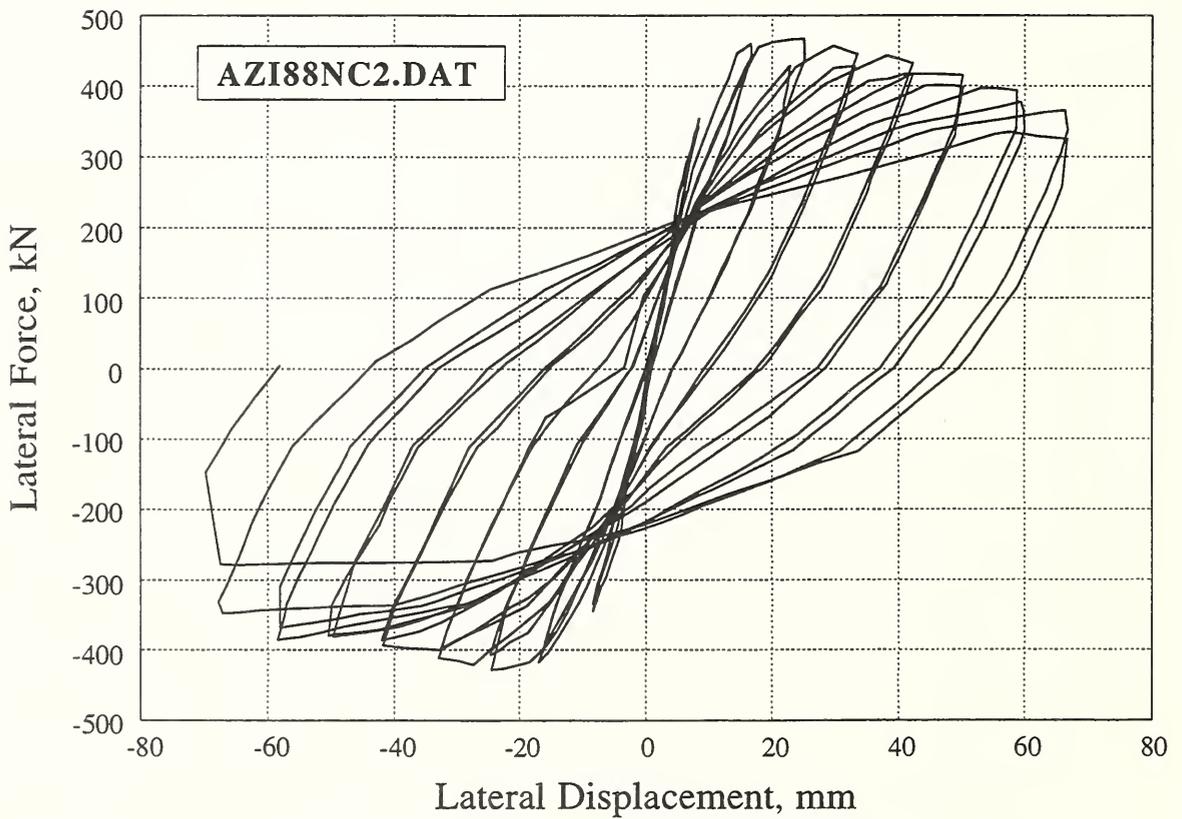


Figure 102. Specimen NC-2 of Azizinamini 1988

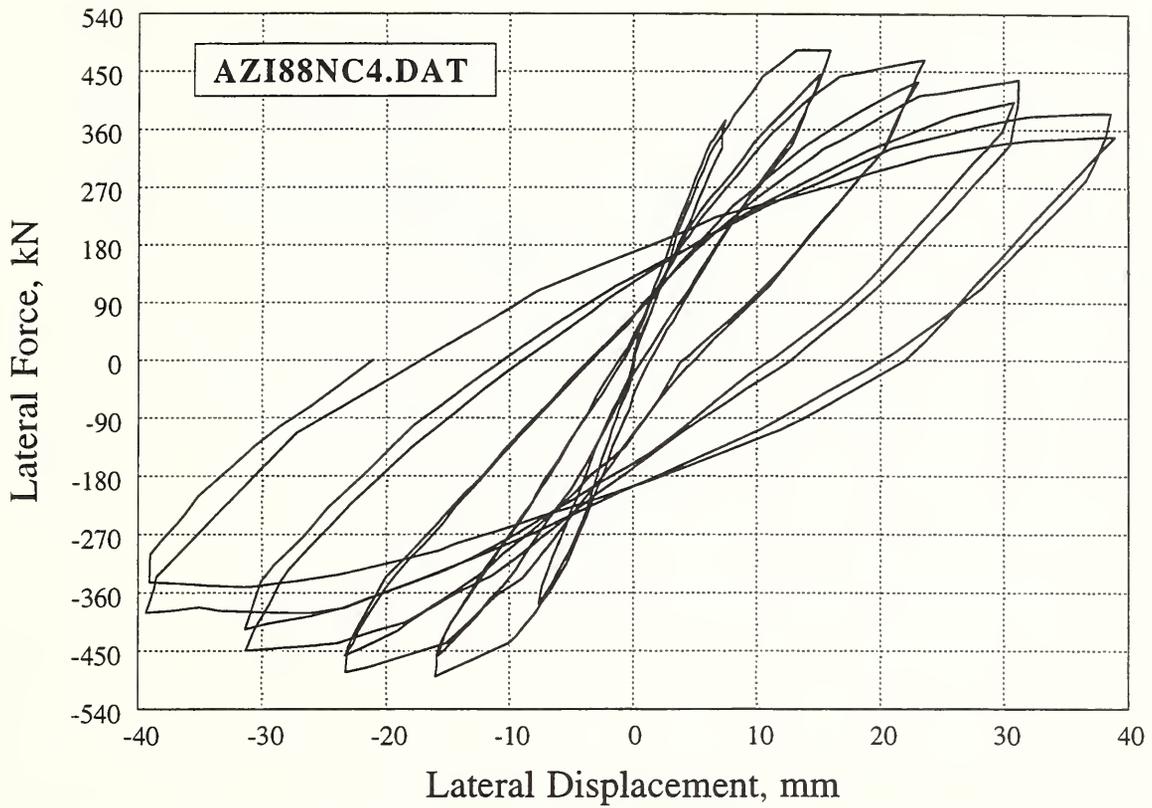


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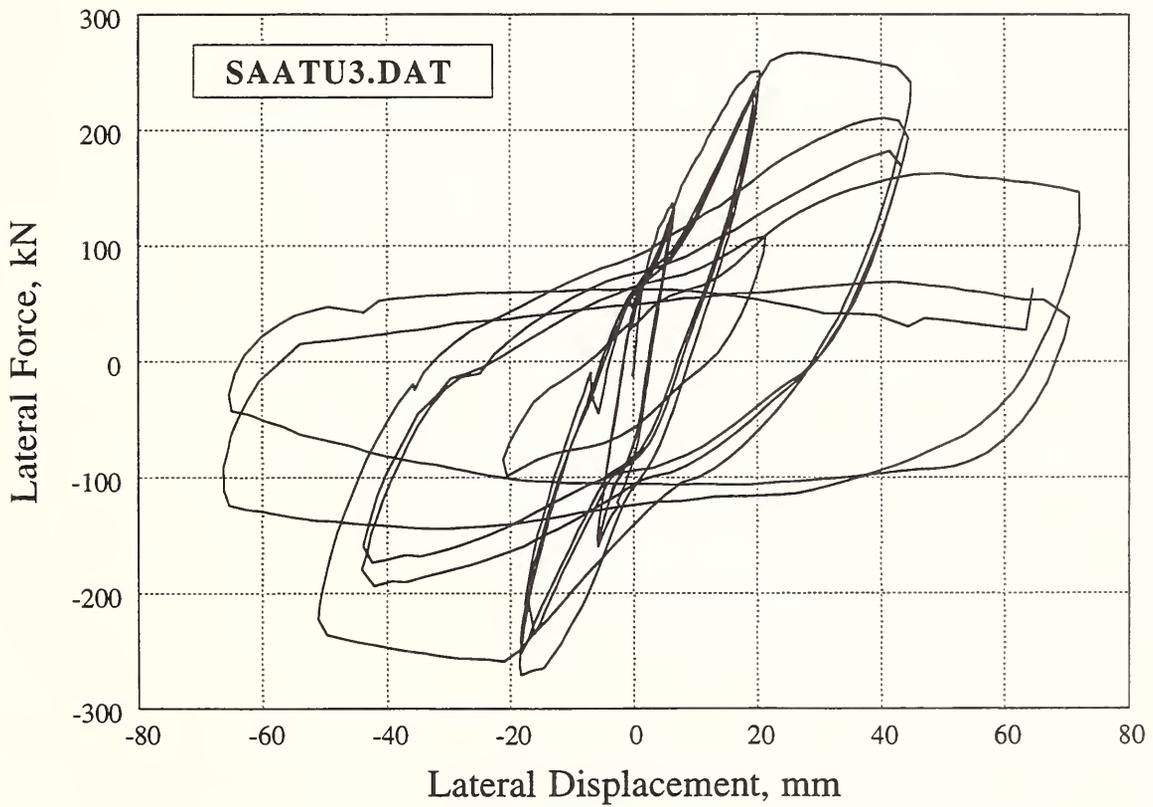


Figure 104. Specimen U3 of Saatcioglu and Ozcebe 1989

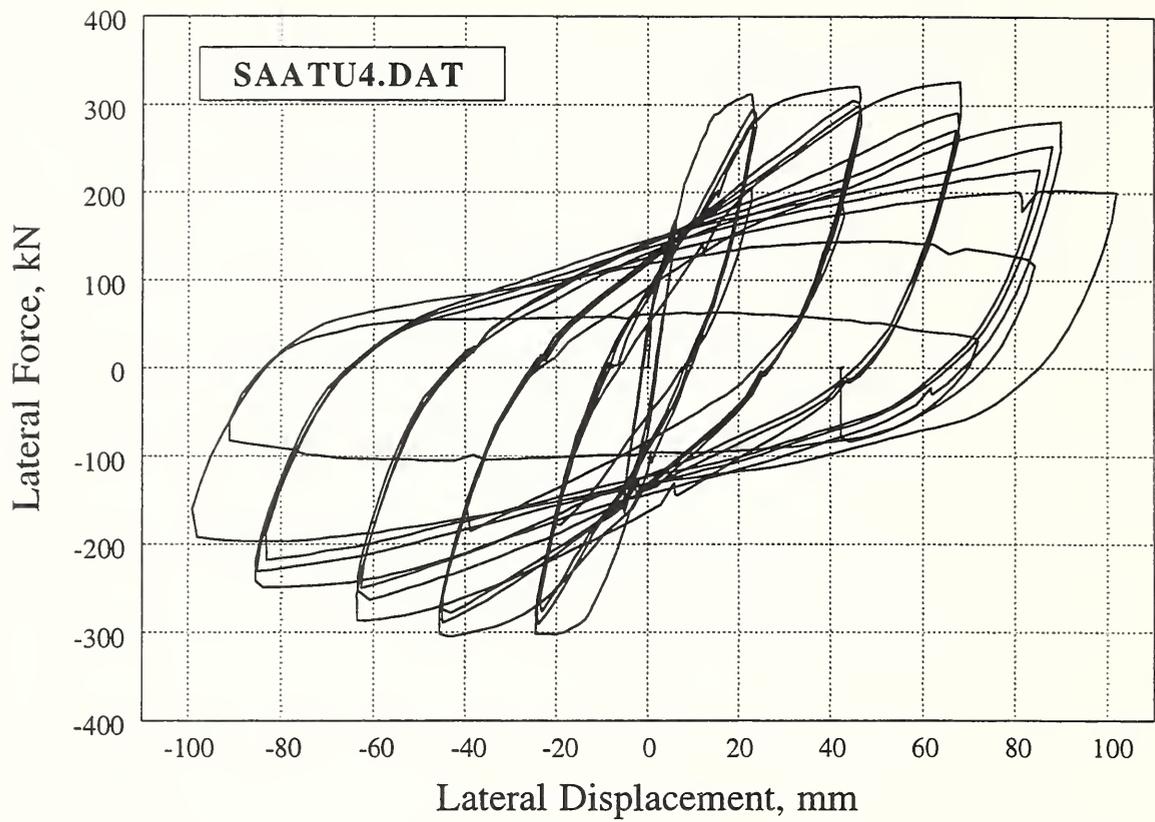


Figure 105. Specimen U4 of Saatcioglu and Ozcebe 1989

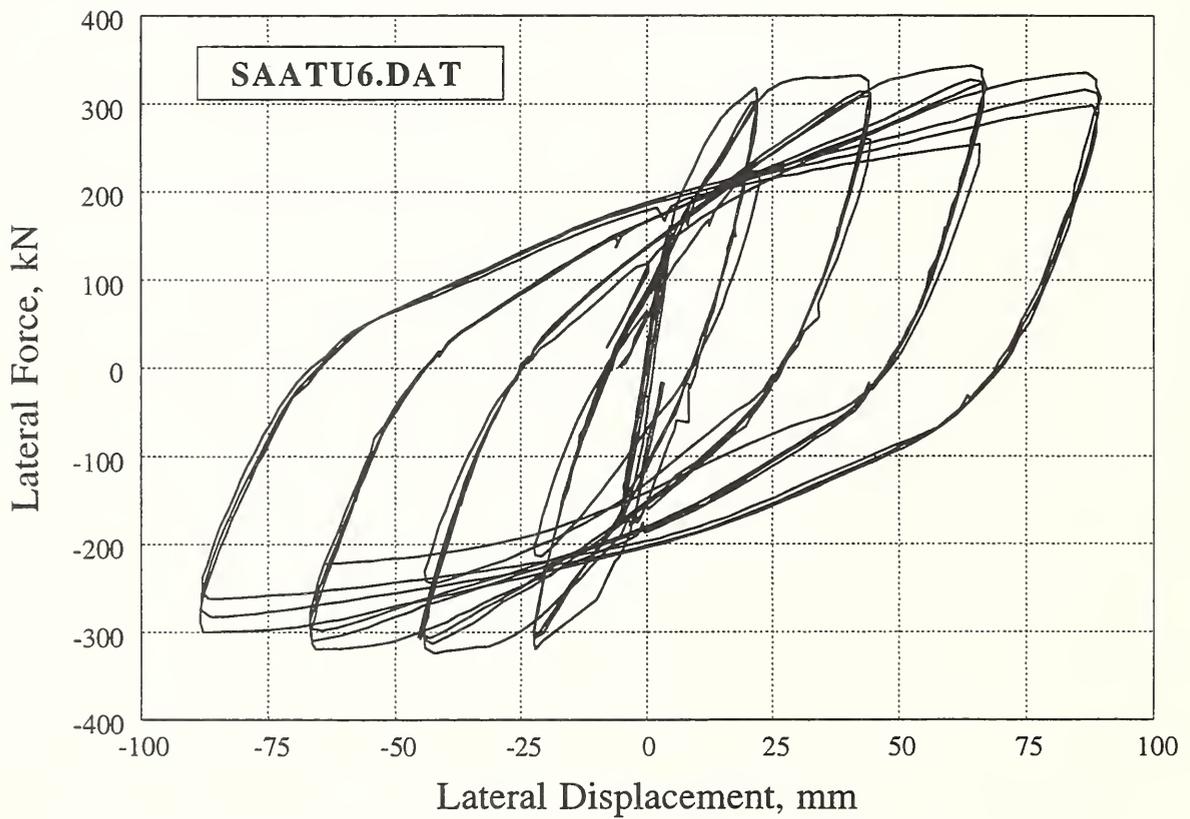


Figure 106. Specimen U6 of Saatcioglu and Ozcebe 1989

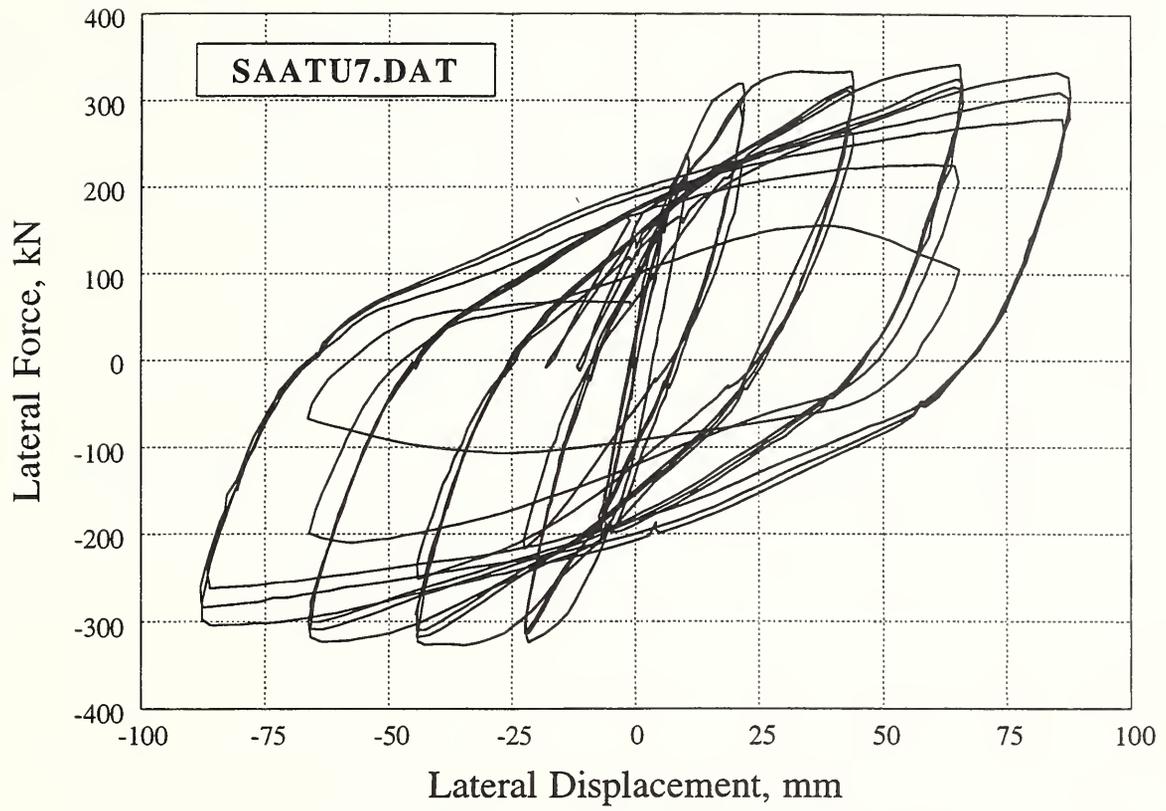


Figure 107. Specimen U7 of Saatcioglu and Ozcebe 1989



Chapter 4: Digital Data Files

Enclosed is one high density (1.44 megabytes) DOS compatible disk. The disk contains 107 digital data files listing lateral deflection-lateral force data, as described in this report.

The files are stored on the disk in a compressed format. To decompress the files, first copy the only file on the disk, RECTCOL.EXE onto the computer hard disk. There should be at least 3 megabytes of disk space available to perform the expansion. Then type the command

RECTCOL.EXE

and all of the files will be automatically decompressed. The original compressed files, RECTCOL.EXE, may then be erased from the hard disk.

The names of the 107 digital data files correspond to those given in Chapter 2 of the report. All the data files (once they have been de-compressed) are in a format which is readable by common spreadsheet programs. The first line of each file is a short descriptive title. The second line is the total number of deflection-force data pairs, "n", to follow in the data file (i.e., the number of data points in the file). The remaining "n" lines are the deflection-force data pairs, in units of mm and kN.

